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DEATH BLOW DEALT BLACKS BY ROOSEVELT

That Is to Those Blacks Who Are in Politics for the Loaves and Fishes.

CRUM IS TURNED DOWN BECAUSE OF HIS RECORD

Alleged Crum Has Been a "Flopper" in National Conventions and Roosevelt Refused To Give Him Office—Color Line Played Part.

By Jos: Ohl.

Washington, November 25.—(Special.)—President Roosevelt today struck a death blow to the chief industry of the professional negro politicians of the south. He refused to give a fat office to one of these negro leaders on the ground that it had been shown that by executing a clever change of front at the republican national convention of 1892 he had secured nomination to a fat federal office.

The man whose political record came home to roost with the above result is Dr. Crum, of Charleston. Shortly before he went south on his bear hunting expedition, President Roosevelt caused it to be announced at the white house that he had determined to appoint Crum collector of the port at Charleston, one of the best offices in South Carolina. There has been a great deal of objection to putting a colored man in that office and there were a number of protests against his appointment on file at the white house, but in pursuance of his policy to rebuke those who had been engaged in the attempt to "lily white" the party, the president announced he would appoint Crum. Then some of Crum's enemies in his own party sent to Washington a leaf out of the doctor's political record. This leaf declared the doctor was elected a delegate at large to the national convention of 1892, as a Blaine man; that on arrival at Minneapolis he had been "seen" by the Harrison politicians and "seen" successfully; that he flopped to Harrison and a few weeks later received his quid pro quo in the shape of nomination to the Charleston postoffice.

Circumstances Notorious.

The circumstances of the deal were so notorious at the time that the anti-Harrison republicans of the state declared after the nomination was hung in committee for some time, that they would never consent to Crum's confirmation, and accordingly Harrison had to withdraw his name.

Crum came to Washington yesterday with the expectation of receiving the promised appointment to the Charleston collectorship. He had one brief and breezy interview with the president, but it was all sufficient. President Roosevelt referred to the record of his dusty Carolina supporter and told him in language whose meaning could not be misunderstood that no man who could barter his convention vote in that manner could have an office under this administration. Crum protested that he had not sold out; that he had been for Harrison all the time and that he could be elected again as a southern delegate who would "stay put," but to no avail.

Now Crum's friends are declaring that President Roosevelt has not the courage to stand up to his protestations of friendliness toward the negroes; that the real reason Crum is thrown down is because of his color; that the president has "wabbled again" on his southern policy.

Crum's assertions of innocence in that little Minneapolis episode have made no impression with the administration politicians.

"The record is there, and it is dead against him," was the comment of one of the cabinet who had a hand in investigating the case. "That South Carolina delegation to Minneapolis stood four for Harrison, four for Blaine and ten for sale, and, well, Dr. Crum landed in the winning side."

Color Line Played Part.

It is the general opinion of those not entirely in the confidence of the president that Crum's friends are not entirely wrong when they assert that this Minneapolis record is used as an excuse to hide the real reason of the Crum throw down. It is argued that no very large amount of political squeamishness attaches to Postmaster General Payne, who is understood to have advised the president about this appointment, and this gentleman would not have let a little thing like this cut a figure had it not been that the president was looking for a way out of making the appointment rather than a way to make it. The color line is supposed to have cut a good deal of figure in the president's mind. Perhaps it is true that his bear hunt experiences changed his feelings toward the colored brethren. Crum is strong with the negro republicans of his state, and drawing the line of color on him is not calculated to make happiness in the rank and file any more than the firm stand taken by the administration against those patriots who barter their votes in national conventions is destined to make the dealers rejoice.

Captain Shoots a Pilot.

San Juan, P. R., November 25.—Captain John Stevens, of the American schooner John I. Snow, which has arrived at Port Fajardo, on Saturday shot a pilot named Frank Stoddard, who died yesterday from his wound. It is claimed the shooting was accidental. Captain Stevens has been arrested and prosecution has begun in the United States court.

BRANDISHING AX, HE RUNS AMUCK

Maniac Terrorizes Passengers on Steamer Adirondack.

Boarded Boat at Albany, N. Y., and Kept Passengers in Terror from That Point Until New York Was Reached—Attempted Suicide.

New York, November 25.—(Special.)—Two hundred passengers on the Albany steamboat Adirondack breathed a sigh of relief from a night of terror when Samuel Nathaniel Hunter, shackled hand and foot, was taken by six policemen to Bellevue hospital today.

All night they had listened to his insane ravings, heard his attempts to kill himself and others and shuddered at his pleadings to be allowed to kill himself.

Hunter, who is but 23 years old, boarded the Adirondack at Albany.

When the boat was an hour out of Albany Hunter seized one of the axes intended for use in case of fire and ran toward the side of the boat. He chopped through one of the heavy blinds over an outside window and started to climb out.

Several deck hands seized Hunter and dragged him back. He screamed and fought and begged to be allowed to die.

It was decided to tie Hunter up until he recovered somewhat and while one went for a rope the young man was locked in a vacant state room.

When the deck hands returned five minutes later they found Hunter hanging unconscious from a beam in the state room. He had found a short piece of rope, looped it around his neck, thrown the end over the beam, stood on the bench and jumped off.

Hunter was cut down and before he regained consciousness was tied hand and foot to an iron stanchion.

Six policemen in a patrol wagon were sent to the dock, at the foot of Canal street, having been called as soon as the be handcuffed he gave the police a hard ship docked.

Hunter was untied and before he could battle, biting, kicking and scratching and all the time screaming at the top of his voice. Finally he was overpowered and taken to Bellevue.

ROBBERS CRACK BANK VAULT.

Booty Valued at Between $3,000 and $4,000 Secured.

Sioux City, Iowa, November 25.—The Bancroft bank, at Bancroft, Nebr., was broken into by robbers this morning, the safe blown open with nitro-glycerine and $3,000 to $4,000 in cash secured. Considerable paper was destroyed.

MILLIONAIRES IN A SQUABBLE

George Gould Issues Statement in Reply to Hawley and Harriman.

New York, November 25.—Mr. Gould's expected rejoinder to the circular issued yesterday by Messrs. Edwin Hawley and E. H. Harriman, relative to the use of his name in sending out requests for proxies to be used at the approaching election of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, was given out tonight in the form of a statement made to the press.

Mr. Gould declares the circular in question to be "in some respects a direct misstatement of facts and in others an ingenius perversion of truth," and expresses the conviction that it was sent out in order to secure control of the property by Messrs. Hawley and Harriman to the exclusion of himself.

The stock of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, over the control of which there is a contest in progress, made a sensational advance today on the stock exchange, rising 5 points during a spurt in the market. The stock was sold at 86 at the close of the market, yesterday. It opened this morning at 85 1-2, but later went up to 91 and then receded, selling at 87 1-4 shortly before 2 o'clock. It was reported today that the conflicting interests were making every efforts to secure control of stock to vote at the annual meeting to be held in Colorado on December 10. Large amounts of stock were borrowed at good rates, with a proxy accompanying each certificate and purchases of stock also were said to have been made outside the exchange on the same basis.

The transfer books of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company are closed and stock purchased now does not carry voting power except that a proxy accompanies it.

Edwin Hawley was asked today whether the fight in Colorado Fuel would extend to the western railroads and he replied:

"There isn't any fight that I know of."

Denver, November 25.—The following dispatch was received by the Denver newspapers today from John C. Osgood, chairman of the board of directors of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company:

Osgood's Position Unchanged.

"New York, November 25.—I appreciate the interest my Colorado friends take in the coming election. The split in the Gould party does not change my position. I think the best interests of the stockholders require that, while the management should be fair and friendly to all interests, control of the property should not be dominated by any one road or group of roads.

"The fact that the opposition is divided is undoubtedly favorable to the interests of the stockholders whom I represent. J. G. OSGOOD."

SISTER LUCKIER THAN CZAR.

Son Has Been Born to Grand Duchess Xenia.

St. Petersburg, November 25.—The czar's sister, Grand Duchess Xenia, wife of Grand Duke Alexander Michaelovitch, was delivered of a son yesterday at Aitodor, Crimea.

HOPE FOR ISTHMIAN CANAL SEEMS TO HAVE VANISHED

Colombia Flatly Declines Last Offer Made by United States and Hay Admits No Canal Is in Sight--Nicaragua Is Stubborn, Too, and Roosevelt and Cabinet Are Blue Over the Outlook.

By Jos: Ohl.

Washington, November 25.—(Special.)—Colombia has flatly declined the last offer made by the United States government, which was in the nature of an ultimatum, and the negotiations over the Panama canal are up in the air. Secretary Hay has informed Minister Concha that the terms contained in his last offer are absolutely the best that the United States will offer; the Colombian minister politely but firmly turned down the United States' proposition, and things are at a standstill.

Secretary Hay so announced to the president and the cabinet at today's meeting. Apparently there is nothing further to be done, at least there is nothing immediate in sight. As one member of the cabinet expressed it, "We can only mark time and wait developments."

Members of the cabinet who listened to Secretary Hay's statement of the gloomy prospects for an early treaty with Colombia, which will make the Panama canal a possibility, came away from the cabinet room looking pretty blue over the prospect. They are suspicious of Colombia's attitude. The whole course of the negotiations with that republic has been characterized by the throwing of petty obstacles in the way of an agreement, and officials here have come to the belief that Colombia wants no treaty at this time. Her attitude, taken in connection with her claim that the concession to the French company expires in 1904, has led to the conclusion that she is playing for bigger game. There are suspicions that Colombia has it in her head that after the concession expires she will be in a position to get a big price for another concession from either a private corporation or some other government.

Colombia has always looked askance at the picture of this government giving the Panama Canal Company $40,000,000 for its property and its concessions. The Colombian officials have indicated symptoms of a desire to get their fingers on forty millions and could see no reason for the Panama Canal Company being considered. It may be that the desire for that fat sum has caused their holding off from treaty negotiations. In any event, while they do not say so they seem to have the idea that at some future day they will be in better shape to dicker with the United States than they are now.

Efforts to get Nicaragua and Costa Rica into the negotiations seem destined to failure. These countries have a complete understanding with Colombia. Their representatives talk much of international comity, saying it would be unfair to open negotiations so long as similar negotiations with Colombia are pending. The fact is they are too foxy to let themselves be used to force Colombia to terms when they would get nothing out of it themselves, and they cannot be blamed for their attitude. The net result of canal negotiations to date is, therefore, nil.

TOM OCHILTREE GOES TO REST

Famous Bon Vivant Dies at Hot Springs, Va.

Was Known the World Over as Wit, Orator and Good Fellow—Native of Texas, Confederate Colonel and at One Time Congressman.

Hot Springs, Va., November 25.—Colonel Thomas Ochiltree died here at 1 o'clock today of heart trouble. He had been in a sinking condition since yesterday morning and it is a surprise to his physician, Dr. F. W. Chapin, as well as to others, that he lived until today. He was conscious this morning, but soon grew worse and lost consciousness again. He died without pain. Arrangements for his funeral will be made by friends in New York.

Colonel Ochiltree always refused to reveal the date of his birth. When asked, he would say:

"I am a few years old."

He was born in Texas and he has been at odd times journalist, confederate colonel, congressman and always a man of the world and a good fellow. Stories enough to fill a volume have been told about him. Stories to fill another volume have been told by him. In recent years Colonel Ochiltree had spent much time abroad.

Ochiltree loved to do things on a large scale. "Hang the cost!" was his motto. He was at the opening of the first Paris exposition and happened to be in The Herald bureau when its account of the opening was about to be cabled across the ocean.

"As a special favor won't you duplicate that to my paper, The Houston Telegraph?" asked Ochiltree off-hand. "Certainly," replied Mr. Bennett. The Houston Telegraph had never been heard of before outside of Houston, but the next day it startled the entire southwest by its extensive report of the opening of the fair. It made the paper, but it almost broke the owner.

In anticipation of the horse show of 1896, Colonel Ochiltree had himself fitted out with an especial horsey outfit with which he intended to dazzle the promenade. On the day appointed for the grand display, while Colonel Ochiltree was taking a bath in his apartments at No. 8 West Thirty-second street, a thief broke in and stole his clothes.

Captain Chapman was resting in the tenderloin district when the telephone bell rang. "Hello!" he cried. "Ochiltree - thief - clothes - green, gray, maroon—horse show—can't get out—Police—Help," etc., came the answer.

When the police reached the Thirty-second street house they found the doughty Texan, attired in a bath robe, hurling forth imprecations in a livid stream. The thief was never caught. Colonel Ochiltree attended the show in staid, conventional garb.

The nearest any one ever came to locating Mr. Ochiltree's place of abode in New York was when a trunk with his name painted upon it was dug out of the ruins of the Windsor hotel. He lived wherever he happened to be.

"I believe Tom lives at the Hoffman house," a friend would remark. "At least, he took breakfast there today, and the chambermaid says she found a pair of cuffs on his dresser." The same convincing proof of his residence in half a dozen other hotels could also be given, but never any more positive information. One week he would be in Texas, the next in New York, and the next in Paris.

Root Goes to New York.

Washington, November 25.—Secretary Root left Washington for New York this evening on receiving news of the very serious illness of Mrs. Root's father, Salem H. Wales. Mr. Wales, who is a journalist and a prominent citizen of New York, has suffered a stroke of apoplexy and owing to his advanced age, 77 years, the case is regarded as critical. Mrs. Root is still in Europe with her two sons, but is expected to sail for New York Saturday.

MEAT TRUST GOES TO WALL WITH LOSSES

Proposed Combine of Packers with Half Billion Capital Has Fallen Through.

PROMOTERS FACE DEBTS TOTALING $90,000,000

Opposition of J. Pierpont Morgan, Who Feared Adverse Political Action, Is Responsible for the Collapse of the Giant Combination.

New York, November 25.—(Special.)—It is understood in Wall street today that the big beef packing trust which was to be formed with a capital of $500,000,000, has fallen through and that its promoters—the big packing companies—have upon their hands an indebtedness of $90,000,000 as the result of the attempt to form it.

The alleged abandonment of the project is attributed to differences between the chief parties concerned over terms of consolidation, fears of adverse political results and the strong advice of J. P. Morgan against the consummation of the project.

It was proposed to combine the great plants of Armour & Co., Chicago; Cudany & Co., of Omaha; Schwarschild & Sulzberger, and to take in numerous smaller plants, some of which were bought outright by the promoters, who borrowed large sums for the purpose, it is said. The sum of these purchases, with the debts of the absorbed concerns, it is said, amounts to $90,000,000.

WENT TO CHURCH TO HUG AND KISS

Ohio Boys and Girls Like Dimly Lighted Sanctuary.

Mt. Gilead, Ohio, November 25.—(Special.)—Rev. Henry C. Brown, of the Congregational church at Bethel, Ohio, has brought down upon his head a torrent of indignant denial from the young members of the congregation whom he accuses of kissing in the sanctuary.

At the weekly prayer meeting the clergyman announced that there must be no more love making in the church, and said that time after time the services had been interrupted by smacking of kisses.

Mr. Brown says that for the last six months he has known that it was the habit of young men and women to attend church, which is lighted by kerosene lamps, simply that they might sit together in the semi-darkness and make love.

During the week of prayer he declared he was annoyed nightly by loud smacks, heard at frequent intervals from various parts of the church.

"The house of prayer shall not be desecrated in this manner," he said. "The woman who accepts the kisses of a dozen men is brazen and unwomanly, but when she attempts to indulge in promiscuous kissing and hugging at services held for the purpose of divine worship, she is guilty of a grievous sin."

Mr. Brown, who is a widower, criticized the young men even more severely.

YANKEE DOLLAR WAY UP YONDER

It's Worth Nearly Three for One in Mexico.

Farmers Are Satisfied, but the City Merchants and the Importers Are Howling for the Establishment of Gold Standard.

Mexico City, November 25.—The premium on New York exchange continues to advance and today is 185—that is $2.85 in Mexican silver is required to buy one American gold dolar.

The large farmers in the interior and planters throughout the country say they do not care if the dollar falls to 30 cents, as only the city merchants and importers want gold. They urge that the depreciated silver keeps the dollars in the country and makes business good. Importers take another view and are generally refusing to make prices on machinery, supplies, etc., except in gold.

Bankers realize that payments coming due will be made in dollars worth considerably less than when the money was loaned. The government has the matter under advisement and advices regarding the adoption of a gold standard from Europe and the United States are being constantly received. The country is undeniably very prosperous and there is a natural hesitation in taking radical measures, which might give business a decided set back. One large bank made the New York rate at 190 at noon.

MESSAGE OF THE PRESIDENT.

It Is Laid Before the Cabinet by Roosevelt.

Washington, November 25.—President Roosevelt laid before the cabinet his annual message to congress in completed form. It was sent to the printer today. Most of the features of the document were familiar to the members of the cabinet, and only such parts of the message as had not been considered previously were read in full. All the members were present except Secretary Root.

TAXES REDUCED BY $100,000,000

Report of Commissioner of Internal Revenue Yerkes Reviewed.

Washington, November 25.—John W. Yerkes, the commissioner of internal revenue, in his report for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1902, says that the internal revenue taxes have been reduced $100,000,000 by the repeal of the war revenue tariff. He estimates the total receipts from internal revenue for the current fiscal year will be $220,000,000.

Under the act of March 2, 1901, says the report, provision was made for the payment of a drawback or rebate on all original and unbroken factory packages of smoking and manufactured tobacco and snuff and cigars held by manufacturers or dealers on the 1st of July, 1901, and which rebate should represent the difference between the sum at which these goods had been taxed and the rate of tax fixed by said act to be effective July 1, 1901. Under this law 49,364 claims have been paid in rebates, being $2,108,511.

The report shows that during the year revenue agents seized and destroyed 1,904 illicit stills and arrested 1,006 persons for violations of the revenue laws. During that time one agent was killed in a raid and two were wounded. One hundred and sixteen distillers were reported for seizure during the year; 68,117 gallons of spirits were reported for seizure, the total value of the property involved being $158,394.

HANNA BARRED BY ROOSEVELT

Rough Rider Has No Room for Uncle Mark.

The National Chairman Who Managed Two Victorious Campaigns Must Step Aside for Some Man of Roosevelt's Choosing.

Washington, November 25.—(Special.)—While the recognition of the Addicks faction in Delaware by President Roosevelt was a great surprise to the public at large it was not a surprise to those who have kept an eye on the machine-building which has been going on in Washington.

The frame-work of the Roosevelt machine is now practically complete. It won't be adjusted entirely until the president has received his nomination a year and six months hence, but it is sufficiently in place to give a fairly good idea of its proportions and of its individual parts.

One fact stands out plainly. There is no place in the Roosevelt machine for Mark Hanna, who kept a tight rein on the republican organization while McKinley was president.

Mr. Hanna will have to step aside for some one to be designated by Mr. Roosevelt. Postmaster General Payne, at present vice chairman of the republican national organization, and James S. Clarkson, formerly of Iowa, but now collector of the port of New York, are the leading possibilities for Mr. Hanna's job.

Both are political manipulators, whose shrewdness has been their chief recommendation. The selection of a national chairman comes after the nomination, and while it is possible for many changes to take place in the time that must elapse, it is even now a choice of Payne or Clarkson.

Senator Hanna regards with calm indifference his passing as a political manager. The Hanna machine, victorious in two presidential campaigns, now exists in name only. Mr. Hanna might have asserted himself, held his power, and controlled even to the extent of preventing Mr. Roosevelt's nomination. The fact that he did not do so did much toward the disintegration of his machine.

Wherever the Hanna machine lost, the Roosevelt machine gained. Besides the last election helped Roosevelt immeasurably. He had made himself so much of an issue that the result could not well be regarded anything but an indorsement of the Rough Rider. The election discouraged the men who have been discounting Mr. Roosevelt and in the same proportion it swelled the ranks of the president's followers.

JOB IN SIGHT FOR CORTELYOU

Private Secretary to President To Head Department of Commerce.

Washington, November 25.—(Special.)—It is reliably stated that President Roosevelt has decided to make Private Secretary Cortelyou the first secretary of the department of commerce in case the bill creating this department is passed by congress.

This bill has strong backing and it is now thought that it will go through easily. Persons who are thoroughly in touch with the situation state that Private Secretary Cortelyou has been slated as the first head of the proposed department and that the president's determination in this matter is so generally understood that there will be no contest for the office.

Private Secretary Cortelyou was private secretary to former President McKinley and first gained prominence at the time of the assassination of the late president.

COAL BARONS SCOUT PEACE AND GO TO WAR

Refuse To Treat with Miners and Will Fight Out Quarrel Before Arbitrators.

INDEPENDENT BARONS CAUSE OF THE HITCH

They Appeal to Baer and Company Not To Treat with the Miners' Union, but To Fight the Trouble Out Before the Commission.

New York, November 25.—A serious hitch occurred today in the plans for a settlement of the coal controversy by conference between the coal operators and the miners' union, and it is now almost certain that the final adjustment of the points at issue will be referred again to the coal strike commission.

At a meeting between the presidents of the coal roads and a large number of independent operators a strong protest was entered by the latter against treating indirectly with the miners. An invitation to meet Mr. Mitchell at Scranton on Friday was declined peremptorily, and it was agreed unanimously that in the judgment of the operators it was best at present to go on with the hearing before the commission.

The meeting of the independent operators and railroad officials lasted about an hour and at its close President Fowler, of the New York, Ontario and Western, said that President Baer, of the Reading, was preparing a statement. Later the statement was issued and Mr. Baer left at once for Philadelphia.

Statement by Baer.

After mentioning at the outset the names of the "private" operators present, the statement given out by Mr. Baer says:

"They (the private operators) met the coal presidents who had signed the request to the president of the United States.

"They presented a protest against any adjustment being made at this time, insisting that principles involved were so serious and affected so many interests that it was necessary now to have the commission hear all the facts and pass its judgment upon the whole controversy. Mr. Simpson, as chairman, read a paper, expressing their views and other gentlemen expressed decided opinions.

"In the midst of the conference the request came from Washington to the operators of both classes to meet Mr. Mitchell and his associates next Friday morning at 10 o'clock. The parties present, without dissent, instructed Mr. Baer to make the following answer:

"'The conditions are such that no substantial progress can be made by the suggested meeting. The general judgment of the operators is that it will be best for the present to go on with the hearing.'"

Protest of Independent Barons.

The independent coal operators protested today to the coal-carrying railroads against the proposed plan to settle differences with the miners' union.

The nature of their protest appears in the following statement, which was given out this afternoon by C. D. Simpson, representing the independent operators:

"Scranton, November 22, 1902.—To Messrs. Baer, Thomas, Truesdale, Olyphant, Fowler and Walter, presidents—Gentlemen: The undersigned individual coal operators whose product is carried over one or the other of your respective railroads, having learned that efforts are being made to effect a settlement of the questions now before the anthracite coal strike commission, of which the individual coal operators have been made a party at the request of the commission and a number of your corporations, beg leave respectfully to enter their vigorous protest against any such settlement to be

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SUMMARY OF THE NEWS

FORECAST.

Fair and cooler Wednesday; Thursday fair, cooler on coast, fresh southwest to south winds, becoming west.

Highest temperature	65	Precipitation for past 24 hours	1.43
Lowest temperature	59	Deficiency since 1st of month	.06
Mean temperature	62	Deficiency since January 1	7.19
Normal temperature	49		

LOCAL.

The child labor bill is set as special order in the house of representatives at 9:30 o'clock this morning, the previous question to be called for at 12 o'clock.

General appropriations bill is reported to the house with the request that it be set as special order for Friday.

Appointments for the North Georgia Conference for the ensuing year are announced by Bishop Warren A. Candler. Resolution condemning the use of tobacco by ministers is tabled.

United States district attorney in appeal to reports of assessors on value of property sought for postoffice purposes, claims that value of property has been overestimated $128,500.

GEORGIA.

Seven indictments are returned by grand jury for running gaming houses in Savannah, three of which are against people prominent in business circles.

Macon council, by unanimous vote, accepts settlement of street railway merger between Senator Bacon and President Carling.

Legislative committee investigating state sanatorium at Milledgeville passes resolution stating that institution is an honor to the state.

SOUTHERN.

Lee Wigel and bride of three days found with throat cut in room in Texarkana hotel. The woman, formerly Miss Marie Quinn, of Anniston, Ala., is dead, but man will recover.

Governor Jelks is making personal inspection of Alabama mines before awarding convicts to bidders.

S. M. Mitchell brings suit for $25,000 damages against Hickory Camp Woodmen of the World in South Carolina for injuries received while being initiated.

DOMESTIC.

The isthmian canal seems farther off than ever. Colombia declines the offer of the United States and Nicaragua is not interested.

The settlement of the coal strike is given a setback by the refusal of the independent operators to treat with the miners.

Tom Ochiltree, world-famous bon vivant, died at Hot Springs, Va.

FOREIGN.

The Havana strike is called off. General Gomez severely arraigns the Central Labor Union.

American and French doctors agree that Mrs. Gore was killed by an accident.

Colonial Secretary Chamberlain begins journey to South Africa.

Berlin socialist organ attacks the late Herr Krupp.

FOR MEN OF BRAIN
CORTEZ
CIGARS
MADE AT KEY WEST
Eleven years of constant growth. An increased factory in 1901 gives high-class smokers opportunity to get CORTEZ CIGARS in 52 shapes and styles
CORTEZ CIGAR CO., Key West

SHORT ITEMS OF INTEREST ABOUT MEN AND AFFAIRS

THE TAX COMMITTEE OF COUNcil, of which Alderman M. T. LaHatte is chairman, will hold a meeting at the city hall this afternoon.

THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETing of the Georgia Railway and Electric Company directors was held yesterday afternoon. The meeting was an executive session. It was stated by one of the officials that only the usual routine was gone through with.

BONDS AGGREGATING $2,000,000, OF the Georgia Southern and Florida railroad, were recorded in the office of the secretary of state yesterday. These bonds bear interest at the rate of 4 per cent, the principal being payable in 1952. The record states that these bonds are a part of an authorized issue of $10,000,000, secured equally by the first consolidated mortgage of the Georgia Southern and Florida to the New York Security and Trust Company, as trustee, dated October 16, 1902. The bonds were issued as part payment for the purchase of the property of the Atlanta, Valdosta and Western Railway Company. The record was made through William C. Shaw, vice president of the Georgia Southern and Florida Railway Company.

WILL CAMPBELL, A YOUNG NEgro, was convicted yesterday afternoon before Judge Roan in the criminal superior court of the charge of burglary and was sentenced to serve four years in the penitentiary. Campbell was charged with breaking into the residence of R. S. Jones at night some time ago. Mr. Jones, on the witness stand yesterday, positively identified Campbell as the burglar. Solicitor Charley Hill represented the state and Attorney Frank Hughes represented the prisoner. The case against the negro was worked by Detective Simpson and Policeman Luck.

ELOISE CANTRELL, THE 13-YEARold daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cantrell, died yesterday at noon at the residence of her parents, 118 Chestnut street. She had been ill a long while. The deceased had a large number of friends who sympathize with the bereaved relatives. Mr. Cantrell, the father, is receiving clerk for the Southern railway. Funeral services will be conducted this morning at 10 o'clock at the residence. The body will be taken to Fairburn at noon for interment.

THE FUNERAL OF EARL ETHEridge Peacock, the 2-months-old child of Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Peacock, will occur this morning. Funeral services will be conducted at 10 o'clock at the residence, 107 West Peachtree place, by Rev. Julian S. Rogers, assistant pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist church. The interment will be in Hollywood cemetery.

MAJOR W. H. BARNET, OF 19 WEST Baker street, who was recently stricken with paralysis, was removed yesterday afternoon to the Presbyterian hospital. It was reported there last night that he was resting easy.

THE CHILDREN AT THE BAPTIST Orphans' home will be given a big Thanksgiving dinner tomorrow at the home in Hapeville. Arrangements are being made to render the occasion thoroughly enjoyable for the orphans in every respect. It was announced last night that any one desiring to make donations for the dinner can leave them with H. R. Durand up to 7:30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION WILL meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Boys' High school building. A number of transfers of teachers will be made, and it may be that one or two new supernumeraries will be elected. A number of other matters of interest to the schools will also be considered.

SENATOR JAMES G. MOORE, OF the first district, who has been absent from the city for several days at the bedside of a sick daughter in Bulloch county, has returned to the city. His friends will be glad to learn that his daughter is greatly improved, and that she will probably recover.

FRIENDS OF MRS. J. POPE BROWN will learn with pleasure that she is rapidly recovering from her illness at Dr. Holmes' sanatarium in this city, and that as soon as the weather permits she will be able to return to her home in Pulaski county.

DR. J. LAWTON HIERS, OF SAVANnah, arrived here yesterday morning, and will remain until after the child labor bill is disposed of. Dr. Hiers is president of the State Sociological Society, which is deeply interested in the bill as well as other matters of similar nature.

SECRETARY OF STATE PHIL COOK suffered so much from his ankle, which was was sprained several days ago, that he was unable to get to his office yesterday.

THE STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY has just completed the periodical examination of applicants for license to practice pharmacy, and the following were granted licenses: Messrs. Babbitt, Goss, Hall, Hamilton, Hawkins, Hermann, Ingram, Kendrick, McKnight, McMahon, Merritt, Miller, New, Setzer, Spearman, Taylor, E. H., Woodall. Six failed to pass. The board is composed of the following: Dr. S. C. Durban, of Augusta, chairman; Max Morris, of Macon; C. D. Jordan, of Monticello; J. C. Dodson, of Americus, and George F. Payne, of Atlanta.

DR. T. C. TUPPER, CHAPLAIN OF the federal prison, has received intelligence of the death of his cousin; Mrs. Jessie Kilpatrick Magruder, of Vicksburg, Miss., and mother of Lieutenant L. Pickett Magruder, U. S. N. Mrs. Magruder's husband, Major L. W. Magruder, a prominent member of the Vicksburg bar, was ordnance officer on the staff of Major General W. H. T. Walker in the late civil war.

THE THIRD NATIONAL BANK YESterday registered at the city hall $134,000 in Atlanta bonds. These bonds will be sent to Washington, where, under the new regulation which makes Atlanta bonds collateral for United States bonds, they will be placed on deposit to take the place of $100,000 government bonds. The Third National bank will then have the government bonds placed on their circulation account and may issue currency to that amount.

DR. WILLIAM J. HOLTZCLAW WILL preach a Thanksgiving sermon at the Jones Avenue Baptist church at 10 a. m. Thursday. The housekeepers of the congregation will send food to the poor. The public is invited to attend this service.

ALL PRIMARY AND INTERMEDIate Sunday school teachers and mothers of the children are invited to meet in the reading rooms of the American Baptist Publication Society, 69½ Whitehall street, this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

DR. C. W. BYRD, PASTOR OF FIRST Methodist Episcopal church, will hold Thanksgiving services in his church Thursday morning at 10:30. After his sermon a Thansgiving offering will be taken up for the Orphans' home at Decatur.

THE FUNERAL OF JAMES M. JEFferson, the young Atlantan who died Saturday afternoon at Colorado Springs, will occur today. The body will arrive in the city this morning at 11:30 o'clock over the Southern railway, and funeral services will be conducted this afternoon at the Park Street Methodist church, in West End, by Rev. Luke G. Johnson. The interment will be in Westview cemetery.

EMMETT HEAD, WHO WAS REcently tried for assault with intent to murder and found not guilty, is held at the Tower on a writ of lunacy. Head's health is bad, and he has "spells," which causes him to lose his mind. All of his trouble was caused, it is said, by his mental weakness.

CHARLES W. PHILLIPS, WHO, since 1898, has been special agent for the Royal Insurance Company, with headquarters in Atlanta, has been appointed second assistant manager by Manager Milton Dargan. Mr. Phillips entered the insurance business in 1888 when he accepted a position with the Trezevant & Cochran general agency at Dallas. He came to Atlanta and accepted a position with the southern department of the Imperial under Major J. T. Dargan, in 1895, and has since that time hade his home in this city.

IN THE BOWLING TOURNAMENT at the Atlanta Athletic Club last night the games proved of great interest to the members. Clapp's team beat Scott's 684 to 573, and Thornton's team beat McHan's 610 to 541. The semi-finals will be rolled Friday and the final Saturday night.

How to Cure Catarrh.

A Remedy That Has Proved Successful in Thousands of Cases of Catarrh, Bronchitis and Asthma.

Dr. Blosser, the celebrated Catarrh Specialist, offers a trial sample of his valuable remedy to any one suffering from Catarrh, Bronchitis, Asthma, Catarrhal Deafness, etc. The remedy is to be smoked and the medicated smoke-vapor penetrates into every diseased part of the head, throat and lungs.

Wonderful success has attended the use of this remedy. Thousands of cases have been cured—many of them were of 15, 20, 25 and even 40 years' standing.

Mr. I. V. Morgan, Riverside, Ky., writes: "After suffering from catarrh for five years, am sound and well." Dr. L. L. Murrey, Archer, Tenn., writes: "Cured my boy, of chronic throat trouble." Mrs. B. M. Nevis, Wakefield, N. H., writes: "Cured catarrh and asthma of 20 years' standing."

The cost of a month's treatment is only $1.00. A three days' trial sample will be mailed to any sufferer who will write to the Dr. Blosser Company, 38-40 Walton St., Atlanta, Ga.

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A HAPPY THANKSGIVING

Twenty years ago—on November 28th, 1882—a young man, thirty-one years of age, took out Endowment No. 251,427 in the Equitable for $10,000. He paid $487.40, and each year since has paid a similar amount.

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$14,885.30

This is a return of all premiums paid—and $5,137.30 in addition—to say nothing of the protection of $10,000 of assurance for 20 years.

ROBERT L. FOREMAN,
Manager for Georgia,
ATLANTA.

GAMING HOUSES TO BE ABOLISHED

Grand Jury Returns Seven Indictments in Savannah.

Three Cases Against Defendants Prominent in Business and Social Circles for Renting Property for Purpose. Other News.

Savannah, Ga., November 25.—(Special.) The grand jury held a session this afternoon that was fraught with great interest locally. Ever since the night, some fifteen days ago, that Dan Kiley, white, entered a Broughton street keno joint and raised a rough house, during the progress of which he received three bullet wounds in the body, there has been strong sentiment against keno gambling. It was expected that the grand jury would take some decided step and such was the case.

Seven indictments were brought in, three being against defendants prominent in business and social circles in Savannah. The charge against these was renting a house to be used for gaming purposes. Those so indicted were Mrs. Anna M. Herron, owner, and Horace Rivers and C. H. Gibbes, agent. All were arrested and gave bond for $500 each. Announcement of these indictments will cause a sensation.

Others indicted were Gad D. Bryan, Jr., Julius Rosenthal, John Monahan and Mal Henderson. Each was arrested, and gave bond for $500. Bryan and Rosenthal conduct the most exclusive restaurant in the city. These four are charged with gambling and conducting gambling establishments.

Only Keno Joints.

This is the first time in months that any action has been taken against the gamblers. They had begun to consider themselves immune. It may mean that keno will never be played again here, but it is not likely that the other forms of gambling will be molested, though the grand jury submitted the following:

"De find on investigation that it is well known to the police of the city of gambling places which have been running for a long time, and when reported to their chief they have been told that it was not their business to pull them, but that it was the business of the detectives, and it seems to stop there. We feel that this is a state of affairs that should no longer exist and that all of the officers of this county and city should work together for the suppression of vice."

Mayor Myers says his orders in regard to keno rooms apply to gambling houses of every character, whether there is keno in them or not. Gambling houses are not to be tolerated.

"The orders have always been not to permit them," said the mayor.

"And do you intend to see that the orders are carried out?" he was asked.

"Yes; they have no right to let them run," he replied.

So, from now on, according to the mayor, there are to be no gambling houses in Savannah. His orders have always been not to permit them, the mayor says.

Besides the keno games, there are a number of gambling establishments here where keno is not among the list of attractions.

It is currently believed that these establisments will continue their business. They pay yearly or semi-yearly fines.

No Case Docketed.

Fire Chief Maguire this morning reported to the mayor that powder in excess of the amount allowed by law was last night found in the ware house of J. M. Dixon & Co. when his department went to the fire at that place. No case has yet been docketed against Mr. Dixon, notwithstanding Chief Maguire's statement last night that he would put him on the docket. The fire chief says he has given the mayor the facts and will act under his instructions. Mayor Myers will not say what he is going to do in the matter, if anything.

Mr. Dixon, who is chairman of the board of aldermen, says he does not care to discuss the powder, but that he is ready for trial if the matter is brought before the recorder, who is the proper authority to investigate the matter, he says.

Chief Maguire says he will act only as instructed by the mayor, now that the matter is in his hands.

Charged with Murder.

Union, S. C., November 25.—(Special.)—Vard Gist, the negro who killed Bill Beatty eight years ago, was arrested at LaFollette, Tenn., today by Deputy Sheriff Sanders, who will reach Union with his prisoner tomorrow.

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FOR YANKEE AID CASTRO PLEADS

Venezuelan President Invokes Monroe Doctrine Against Europe

Caracas, Venezuela, Saturday, November 22.—President Castro, in an interview today, said:

"The revolution received its death blow at La Victoria. In spite of superior numbers the rebels were defeated and their principal ladear was compelled to seek refuge in a foreign land. The remnants of his forces under arms are unable to support each other and are being closely pursued. I receive news daily of the disintegration of Matos, followers.

"Venezuela entertains cordial and sympathetic friendship for the United States, which has already signally opposed the aggression of foreign powers. The government is confident that, convinced of the justice of our cause, the United States will render Venezuela assistance in her future difficulties. Well-supported and well-applied, the Monroe doctrine is of the greatest possible importance and value. The motto of the United States should be accepted by the Pan-American nations, which should be bound in indissoluble ties of comity and friendship.

"Questions with European governments can be settled amicably if they have the same desire for friendly relations. We, the Venezuelan people united, patriotic and courageous, form a force which will tenaciously resist any attempt to infringe out sovereignty or invade our territory.

"With respect to Colombia, the government of Venezuela is advised that there has been another invasion of our territory from that country, the seventh in three years. It is our earnest desire to prevent war with Colombia and we are prepared to arrange for a settlement when peace is declared and the courts resume their functions."

INTERESTING FACTS.

For Nearly Every Man, Woman or Child.

A short time ago we published an article recommending to our readers the new discovery for the cure of Dyspepsia, called Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, and the claims then made regarding the wonderful curative properties of the remedy have been abundantly sustained by the facts. People who were cautious about trying new remedies advertised in the newspapers and were finally induced to give Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets a trial were surprised and delighted at the results. In many cases a single package, costing but 50 cents at any drug store, made a complete cure and in every instance the most beneficial results were reported. From a hundred or more received we have space to publish only a few of the latest, but assure our readers we receive so many commendatory letters that we shall publish each week a fresh list of genuine, unsolicited testimonials and never publish the same one twice.

From James Yemmeisler, LaCross, Wis.: Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are doing me more good than anything I ever tried, and I was so pleased at results that I gave away several boxes to my friends who have also had the same benefits.

From Jacob Anthony, Portmurry, New Jersey: I have taken Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets with the best results. I had Dyspessia for 6 years, and had taken a great deal of medicine, but the Tablets seem to take right a hold and I feel good. I am a farmer and lime burner and I heartily recommend to everyone who has any trouble with his stomach to use these Tablets.

From Mrs. M. K. West, Preston, Minn.: I have received surprisingly good effects from using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I gave one-half of my last box to a friend who also suffered from indigestion, and she had the same good results.

From Mrs. Agnes K. Ralston, Cadillac, Mich.: I have been taking Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and I am very much better, and feel very grateful for the great benefit I have received in so short a time.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are a certain cure for all forms of Indigestion. They are not claimed to be a cure-all, but are prepared for stomach troubles only, and physicians and druggists everywhere recommend them to all persons suffering from Nervous Dyspepsia, sour or acid stomach, heartburn, bloating or wind on stomach and similar disorders.

BRIDE AND GROOM TRY TO END LIVES

Slashed Throats with Razor in Texarkana.

Woman Is Dead, but Man Will Recover—Lee Wigel and Marie Quinn Had Only Been Married Three Days—Inquest Being Held.

Texarkana, Ark., November 25.—At 2 o'clock this afternoon Lee Wigel and his wife were found in their room at the Cosmopolitan hotel with their throats cut. The woman was dead, but Wigel was still alive, although unable to move from loss of blood. A bloody razor lay on the floor near the bed.

Wigel was taken to a sanitarium, where his wounds were dressed. He will probably recover. He is conscious, but refuses to make any statement.

About a week ago he went away, saying he was going to get married. He returned yesterday, accompanied by a young woman who he introduced as his wife. She said she was Miss Marie Quinn, of Anniston, Ala., at which place it was stated the marriage took place last Friday.

The couple took a room at the Cosmopolitan hotel at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and it seems neither left it again. They did not come down for supper last night or breakfast or dinner today. An inquest is being held.

KETCHAM BUYS OLD PAINTING.

Owner of Cresceus Picks Up Prize in Macon.

Macon, Ga., November 25.—(Special.)—Ketcham and Cresceus are gone, and within the next few days an old oil painting, a masterpiece which has been accumulating dust and cobwebs here in Macon for years, will take up its journey to the Buckeye home of the owner of the famous trotter.

Ketcham gave it out while here that he intended to buy in Georgia—if he could find what he wanted—a great body of land which he would convert into a game preserve. Of course he can find what he wants, and it is probable some of the money the great trotter has earned for his owner will be invested in Georgia soil.

During his stay here it developed that Ketcham is fond of fine portraits and that he has a habit of picking up good work when he can find it. An old masterpiece here was designated to him by some one acquainted with its owner. Ketcham obtained an observation of it and was so well pleased with the piece and the price that he lost no time in making the trade. The painting will be shipped to his Ohio home. Ketcham was so well pleased with his treatment here that he may return soon after the holidays for a short visit.

COAL BARONS SCOUT PEACE

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made at this time and set forth the following reasons:

"First—We believe that such a settlement at this time and upon the basis suggested would forever establish the power and perpetuate the injustice perpetrated by the United Mine Workers.

"Second—That such settlement would be, in the eyes of the public, confession that we have heretofore been guilty of all the offenses charged against us by the said mine workers.

"Third—That we have, and believe that you have such a perfect and complete defense to the allegations made by the complainants before the commission, that any money award the commission would render would be far less than the amount we understand that it is proposed to concede, especially to miners and their laborers.

Hope To Crush Union.

"Fourth—That, aside from any money considerations, this commission, composed as we believe of men that are absolutely fair, unbiased and of unusual experience and good judgment in their findings, will make such declaration as will for many years put a ban upon unlawful practices, oppression of non-union men, unjustifiable demands and other grievances that we have been suffering under since 1900, when the union first took possession of our property. If, on the other hand, this settlement be made now, when not a single witness has been called on our part or on your behalf, it will be an absolute and distinct surrender to the miners' union and the troubles above referred to will not only be continued, but so magnified as to be absolutely unbearable.

"The hearings of the anthracite coal strike commission present the first opportunity that the coal operators have ever had of presenting the case before the general public who are an important third party, since abstracts, at least, of these proceedings are published all over the United States, and it is a duty that we owe to ourselves as well as to them to prove that the continued and repeated charges of injustice, barbarity, of extortion, are absolutely unfounded, all of which the individual operators, at least, propose to do.

"The case as presented already shows such weakness that we believe they were almost disheartened when these suggestions for a compromise were made. We believe that any surrender on our part which would be practically what this compromise would amount to, would be by far the most serious mistake ever made in the anthracite coal business."

Mitchell Hears the News.

Washington, November 25.—All prospects for an understanding between the United Mine Workers and the coal operators outside the anthracite coal commission came to a sudden termination late this afternoon through the receipt of a dispatch to Wayne MacVeagh, representing the Pennsylvania Coal Company and the Hillside Coal and Iron Company, notifying him that at a meeting of the anthracite coal road men in New York today it had been decided not to grant an interview to Mr. Mitchell and his associates, which had been suggested for Friday next.

The announcement, coming as it did, after an all-day's conference in this city between Mr. MacVeagh and Mr. Mitchell and his associates, attended part of the time by Carroll D. Wright, in an endeavor to adjust some details of the proposed agreement between the operators and the miners, completely surprised every one here. From a reliable source it is learned that the proposition that the operators meet Mr. Mitchell on Friday next was made at the instance of Mr. MacVeagh, who was no less surprised than Mr. Mitchell himself at the turn affairs took today. From statements made by Mr. Darrow early in the day the impression had spread that a complete agreement would be effected at today's conference, but when the meeting broke up Mr. Darrow read to the newspaper men in the corridor outside his room, in Willard's hotel, a statement which made it clear that no final agreement had been reached and that no further conferences were likely.

Statement by Darrow.

The statement was as follows:

"The conference today was simply a continuation of the conference held at Scranton and with precisely the same object—that of trying to reach a basis of hopeful discussion for an amicable settlement. Mr. MacVeagh has not been in Scranton since Thursday, and some matters developed as to which a further conference might be useful before either the operators or representatives of the miners approach the serious task of formulating a definite agreement for their signatures."

Mr. Mitchell, when shown the dispatch from New York telling of the action of the operators, simply smiled and said that he had not asked for the conference, but that when it was suggested to him if it would be agreeable to meet the operators he said it would. Mr. Darrow and Mr. Lloyd, however, were outspoken regarding the action of the operators. Mr. Darrow said it was now "up to the operators" and that he would return at once to Scranton and on Tuesday next would appear before the commission ready to go on with the hearing. Mr. Lloyd, holding in his hand the Associated Press dispatch, referred to the fact that Friday's conference had been suggested in order to adjust some matters on which there was still some disagreement. "Yet," said Mr. Lloyd, "the same men who only last week wired the commission their assent to the general provisions of the tentative agreement and upon the strength of which the commission adjourned for a week in order to give the parties time to get together, now go completely back on their former action and call it all off. We are satisfied to go before the commission and continue the hearing."

Messrs. Mitchell, Darrow and Lloyd left here at 6:50 over the Pennsylvania railroad for Scranton.

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Mrs. T. J. Wilke, of 1597 W. Madison street, Chicago, writes: "My trouble was change of life, and I had been greatly troubled with pain in the spinal column and back, and had nervousness and constipation. I used Zoa Phora and my aches and pains are now all gone and I ame perfectly well."

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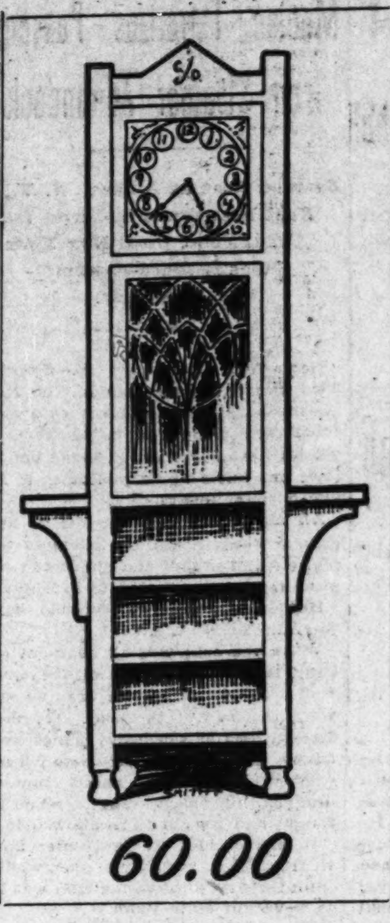

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Thornton Withdraws.

Elberton, Ga., November 25.—(Special.) The heated race for mayor of Elberton, which was promised some time ago by the entry of Editor B. I. Thornton, of The Tribune, against the present incumbent, Hon. R. M. Heard, will not take place, as Mr. Thornton has withdrawn. The field is, therefore, left to Mr. Heard, and it is not now thought he will have opposition. The present council has many important matters on hand, and it is now likely will not have to lose any time because of a hot political race. Every effort is being made to get the electric light plant in working order. The dam across Beaver Dam creek, where the power is generated, is being raised, and the plant is being moved to a higher point, so as to be free from inundation. The plant has cost many thousand dollars, but has never been the success it was hoped for. The present council promises to have it in first-class shape in a short walle.

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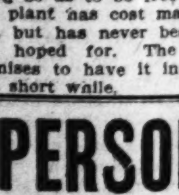

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FEW CHANGES ARE MADE IN THE ATLANTA PULPITS

Pastors of Principal Churches Retain Their Present Charge.

APPOINTMENTS READ BY BISHOP W. A. CANDLER

Many Changes Occur Throughout the Various Districts, and Two New Presiding Elders Are Named. Complete List of the Appointments.

The Methodist ministers of the North Georgia conference received their appointments from Bishop Warren A. Candler yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock.

As predicted in The Constitution several days ago, there were no changes made in the eight leading Methodist churches of the city. Rev. Charles W. Byrd was returned to First church, Rev. H. S. Bradley will continue to serve Trinity. Rev. Alonzo Monk is continued as pastor of St. Mark, Rev. John S. Jenkins will continue to serve Grace church another year, Rev. Luke G. Johnson was reappointed to Park Street, Rev. H. M. Quillian goes back to Payne Memorial, Rev. J. H. Mashburn is again made pastor of Walker Street, and Rev. S. R. England will preach another year at St. John. There were a number of changes, however, made in other parts of the Atlanta district.

Many changes were made at different points in the conference, both as to the placing of the ministers and as to the placing of some of the churches in different districts. Only five of the districts have the same presiding elders they had last year, namely, Rev. Charles E. Dowman, Atlanta district; Rev. W. P. Lovejoy, Athens district; Rev. J. W. Quillian, Elberton district; Rev. W. L. Pierce, Gainesville district, and Rev. S. B. Ledbetter, Marietta district.

Two new presiding elders were created at this session of the conference—Rev. Ford McRee, Dalton district, and Rev. John W. Heidt, Oxford district.

Some Important Changes.

Rev. John B. Robins was changed from the Griffin district to the Augusta district. Rev. W. F. Glenn was changed from the Rome district to the Griffin district; Rev. B. P. Allen was changed from the Dalton to the LaGrange district; Rev. W. R. Foote was changed from the Oxford to the Rome district.

The following changes were made in the location of the churches as to districts: Madison, Rev. A. W. Quillian, pastor, and Morgan, Rev. A. J. Hughes, pastor, were taken from the Oxford district and made a part of the Athens district; Milledgeville, Rev. M. L. Underwood, pastor; South Baldwin, Rev. W. R. Stillwell, pastor, and Baldwin, Rev. J. A. Quillian, pastor, were taken from the Augusta district and made a part of the Oxford district.

The following is a full list of the appointments as read by Bishop Candler yesterday:

Atlanta District.

Charles E. Downman, presiding elder; Atlanta, Wesleyan Tabernacle, to be supplied by L. M. McConnell; Atlanta, First church, Charles W. Byrd; Atlanta, St. Marks, Alonzo Monk; Atlanta, Grace, John S. Jenkins; Atlanta, Payne Memorial, H. M. Quillian; Atlanta, St. Luke, Wallace Rogers; Atlanta, Inman Park, Richard C. Cleckler; Atlanta, Trinity and Trinity mission, H. S. Bradley, and one to be suplied by A. B. Pendleton; Ashbury, G. W. Griner; Atlanta, English avenue and Jefferson street, W. W. Brinsfield; Atlanta, Walker street, John H. Mashburn; Atlanta, Park street, Luke G. Johnson; Atlanta, St. Johns, S. R. England; Atlanta, St. Paul, R. B. O. England; Atlanta, St. James, W. A. Dodge; Atlanta, Nellie Dodd and Copenhill, Rembert G. Smith; East Atlanta mission, R. W. Rogers; Epworth, W. T. Hamby; Kirkwood, William H. LaPrade, Jr.; Decatur, Charles H. Branch; Scotdale and Oak Grove, to be supplied; Atlanta Heights, J. T. Eakes; Battle Hill and West Side, C. P. Marchman; Bolton, W. T. Caldwell; East Point and mission, O. C. Simmons and one to be supplied; College Park, Charles C. Jarrell; Wesleyan Christian Advocate, M. J. Cofer, assistant editor and business manager; Wesleyan Female college, J. W. Roberts, president; secretary of education, John D. Hammond; agent Preachers' Aid Society, C. A. Evans; Orphans' home, H. L. Crumley, agent, and George D. Stone, superintendent; book agent, R. J. Bigham.

Athens District.

W. P. Lovejoy, presiding elder; Athens, First church, Isaac S. Hopkins; Athens, Oconee street, M. H. Eakes; Athens circuit, A. A. Sullivan; Center mission, J. M. Crowe; Watkinsville, B. P. Searcey; Farmington, J. M. Bowden; Lexington, J. A. Sewell; Greenesboro, C. A. Jamison; Greene circuit, J. H. Farr; White Plains, and Siloam, R. P. Martyn; Madison, A. W. Quillian; Morgan, A. J. Hughes; Rutledge, J. W. Taylor; Triplett, D. B. Cantrell; Sharon, Benjamin Graham; Washington, W. T. Irvine; Broad River, W. H. Cooper; Little River, J. T. Robins; Wesleyan Female college, W. B. Bonnell, professor; L. H. Green, Winterville.

Augusta District.

John B. Robins, presiding elder; Augusta, St. John, J. H. Eakes; Augusta, St. James, S. R. Belk; Augusta, Broadway, Casper Wright; Augusta, Asbury, H. L. Edmondson; Augusta, St. Luke, T. J. Warlick; Augusta, Woodlawn and mission, T. F. Pierce; Hephzibah circuit, C. L. Pattillo; Grovetown and mission, L. S. Embry; Appling, J. H. Little; Richmond mission, to be supplied by B. P. Reed; Harlem, W. T. Bell; Thompson, George W. Yarbrough; Messena and mission, J. M. Sewell; Warrenton, J. A. Timmerman; Culverton circuit, A. C. Cantrell; Norwood, Oscar L. Kelly; Hancock mission, to be supplied by W. T. Delph; Hancock circuit, E. H. Wood; Sparta, J. S. Bryan; Paine institute, R. L. Campbell, professor.

Dalton District.

Ford McRee, presiding elder; Dalton, First church, Henry J. Ellis; Dalton, Hamilton street and mission, G. L. Christian; Whitfield, J. W. Hawkins; Summerville and Trion, W. G. Crawley—N. E. Ware, junior preacher; Spring Place and mission, to be supplied by G. B. Barton and N. A. Parsons; Murray circuit, J. H. Bailey; Fairmount, H. M. Strozier; Calhoun, J. C. Atkinson; Adairsville, E. A. Ware; Cartersville, T. J. Christian; Tilton and mission, to be supplied by Richard E. Bradley; Subligna, M. L. Harris; Lafayette, A. S. Harris; Chickamauga circuit, Olin King; Lyerly, W. A. Simmons; Ringgold, J. R. Jones; Kingston, J. M. Tumlin; Tunnell Hill, A. S. Hutchinson; Day Valley and mission, J. L. Allgood; Emerson and Paulding mission, to be supplied by J. S. Rawls.

Elberton District.

J. W. Quillian, presiding elder; Elberton First church, Joel T. Daves; Elberton Second church and Pearl Mills, J. A. Thurman; Middleton, A. A. Tilly; Bowman, J. D. Milton; Hartwell, H. B. Mays; Cokesburg, W. A. Maxwell; Hart mission, to be supplied by W. A. Cooper; Royston, J. F. Yarbrough; Carnesville, A. J. Sears; Lavonia, J. T. Lowe; Toccoa, J. E. Rosser; Toccoa mission, J. E. Rorie; Danielsville, E. W. Jones; Jefferson, H. F. Branham; Harmony Grove, G. M. Eakes; Homer, J. F. Balis; Lincolnton and mission, junior preacher, Elam Dempsey; H. C. Emory; Maysville, A. D. Echols; Clayton mission, W. S. Gaines and one to be supplied by J. J. Pendergrass; Clarkesville and mission, J. W. Gober; Demorest and Cornelia, C. C. Spence; conference missionary secretary, P. L. Stanton.

Gainesville District.

W. L. Pierce, presiding elder; Gainesville, First church, W. F. Quillian; Gainesville, Myrtle street, William P. King; New Holland circuit, to be supplied by S. B. Merk; Pendergrass, W. S. Robison; Hall circuit, G. W. Tumlin; Flowery Branch, A. E. Sansburn; Buford, J. B. Allen; Hoschton, W. L. Singleton; Cumming, H. W. Morris; Winder, A. W. Williams; Bethlehem circuit, G. P. Gary; Lawrenceville, L. W. Rivers; Logansville, L. P. Winter; Monroe, C. C. Cary; Norcross and Prospect, R. M. Dixon; Norcross circuit, to be supplied by P. F. Connally; Duluth, W. W. Gaines; Belton and mission, J. W. Austin; Dacula, to be supplied by S. H. Braswell and Lucien Roper; Dahlonega, E. C. Marks; Lumpkin mission, to be supplied by N. A. White; Cleveland, N. E. McBreyer; Landsville mission, to be supplied.

Griffin District.

W. F. Glenn, presiding elder; Griffin First church, T. C. Betterton; Griffin city mission, G. W. Farr; Griffin Third church, to be supplied by W. A. J. Noles; Milner, E. A. Gray; Zebulon, C. V. Weathers, and one to be supplied by W. H. Meacham; Thomaston, J. F. Mixon; Thomaston mission to be supplied by T. L. Bussey; Barnesville, J. N. Snow; Barnesville circuit, W. E. Arnold; The Rock, M. M. Walraven; Culloden, W. M. Winn, Forsyth, W. F. Hunnicutt; Forsyth circuit, S. H. Dimon; Senoia, W. A. Harris; Jonesboro, J. E. England; Hampton, E. K. Aikin; McDonough, John L. Moon; Jenkinsburg, J. O. Brand; Flovilla, F. D. Cantrell; Jackson, Walter R. Branham; Fayetteville, John Spier; Inman, B. E. C. Timmons; Locust Grove, J. D. Lewis; Ellenwood, J. L. Ware.

LaGrange District.

Bevery P. Allen, presiding elder; LaGrange, First church, R. F. Eakes; LaGrange, St. John, F. R. Seaborn; West Point, Simeon Shaw; West Point circuit, W. O. Butler; Hogansville, J. G. Logan; Grantville, William Dunbar; Rocky Mount mission, J. W. Bailey; Newman, J. R. King; Glenn, J. S. Askew; Turin, W. E. Tarpley; Franklin, H. L. Embry; Fairburn, J. R. Speck; Palmetto, Frank Quillian; Greenville and Trinity, F. P. Spencer; Mountville, A. H. S. Bugg; Chipley, John R. Lewis; Woodbury, W. C. Fox; Bowden, Walter Millican; Roopville and mission, T. P. Graham; North Coweta mission, L. L. Landrum; Whitesburg and mission, E. M. Stanton; LaGrange Female college, H. M. Smith, professor.

Marietta District.

S. B. Ledbetter, presiding elder; Marietta, J. M. White; Cobb circuit, J. A. Sprayberry; Powder Springs, F. M. C. Eads; Austell, F. G. Golden; Woodstock, W. R. Kennedy; Acworth, W. A. Farniss; Holly Springs, T. H. Dillard; Canton, A. M. Pierce; Roswell, Loy Warwick; Birmingham mission, to be supplied by C. C. Davis; Liverpool circuit, to be supplied by J. E. Thomason; Ellijay, T. H. Gibson; Dawsonville, to be supplied by W. E. Venable; Walesca mission, C. M. Vardell; Jasper, J. D. Turner; Alpharetta, Z. Speer; Blue Ridge and mission, G. W. Barrett; Morganton mission, to be supplied by J. M. Watts; Blairsville, to be supplied by T. C. Hughes; Young Harris circuit, to be supplied by Felton Williams; Young Harris college, J. A. Sharp, president.

Oxford District.

John W. Heidt, preachers elder; Oxford and Midway, G. W. Duval; Almon Mission, B. H. Mobley; Conyers and Factory Mission, M. L. Troutman and one to be supplied; Conyers Circuit, F. R. Smith; Newborn, S. P. Wiggins; Social Circle, F. S. Hudson; Shady Dale, A. B. Sanders; Eatonton, W. F. Robinson; East Putnam, S. A. Harris; West Putnam, W. H. Speer; Putnam Circle, J. E. Russell; Monticello, J. W. Stipe; Monticello Circuit, L. A. McLaughlin; Clinton, J. P. Erwin; Milledgeville, M. L. Underwood; South Baldwin, to be supplied by W. R. Stillwell; Baldwin, J. A. Quillian; Covington, J. R. McCleskey; Lithonia, J. S. L. Sappington; Stone Mountain and Mission, F. W. McCleskey; Missionary to the Hebrews, Julius Magath; Emroy College, J. E. Dickey, president.

Rome District.

W. R. Foote, presiding elder; Rome, First church, B. F. Fraser; Rome, Second church, A. G. Shankle; Rome, South Broad church and Howard avenue, H. D. Pace and one to be supplied by T. J. Branson; Home Mission, to be supplied by W. W. Benson; North Rome Circuit, J. F. Davis; Lindale, J. Q. Watts; Cave Spring, F. J. Mashburn; Cedartown, Fletcher Walton; Cedartown Circuit, R. O. Weir; Rockmart, P. A. Kellett; Stilesboro, Circuit, J. H. Pace; Dallas, A. F. Nunn; Everett Springs, to be supplied by R. P. Tatum; Buchanan, J. M. Fowler; Tallapoosa, T. R. Kendall, Jr.; Villa Rica and Temple, M. S. Williams and one to be supplied; Waco Mission, to be supplied by G. P. Braswell; Yorkville Mission, to be supplied by G. D. Frazer; Winston Mission, J. N. Myers; Douglasville, J. O. A. Grogan; Carrollton, W. B. Dillard; Carroll Circuit, B. H. Trammell; Piedmont Institute, G. F. Venable, president; transferred to the South Georgia conference, H. C. Christian, J. J. Ansley and Arthemus Lester.

TOBACCO HABIT NOT CONDEMNED

Resolution Against Use of Weed by Ministers Tabled.

Conference Held Busy Session Yesterday and Adjourned To Meet in Griffin, Ga., Next Year. Many Reports Read and Received.

Just before the adjournment of the Methodist conference yesterday afternoon a resolution was introduced by several members of the body which condemned the use of tobacco by ministers. The resolution stated that "Methodist preachers should wash their mouths," and that they should not pollute the atmosphere with the vile odor of the burning weed, but for scientific and moral reasons set a better example to other persons.

The resolution was laid upon the table.

The last session of the conference was a very busy one. The time was taken up with the hearing of reports from the various boards and committees, and from the statistical secretary of the conference.

The following report from Rev. H. R. Davies, statistical secretary, one of the most important reports that is made before the conference, showed that wonderful progress had been made in all lines by the Methodist church in north Georgia during the year just past:

Number of local preachers, 288; number of members, 99,280; received by profession of faith, 4,978; received by certificate, 6,530; adults baptized, 3,118; infants baptized, 1,280; numebr of Epworth Leagues, 127; Epworth League members, 4,662; number of Sunday schools, 743; number of Sunday school teachers, 5,531; number of Sunday school pupils, 50,647; collected for, and paid to, superannuates from charges, $14,939.43; Preachers' Aid Society, $350; total to wornout preachers, $15,289.43.

Collected for Missions—Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, $11,180.87; Woman's Home Missionary Society, $9,634.29; foreign mission collection, $19,963.23; domestic mission collection, $13,848.71. Total for missions, $54,627.10.

Collected for church extension, $4,491.12; collected for American Bible Society, $514.51; paid presiding elders, $19,827.93; paid preachers in charge, $135,907.89; paid bishops, $2,737.93; number of societies, 792; number of houses of worship, 777 1-3. Value of houses of worship, $1,288,882.91; indebtedness on houses of worship, $14,438. Number of pastoral charges, 238; number of parsonages, 182; value of parsonages, $248,327; indebtedness on parsonages, $4,291.50; number of districts, 11; value of district parsonages, $9,475.99; number of churches damages by fire and storm, 5; amount of damage, $6,850; insurance carried, $435,967; premiums paid, $2,836.04; losses sustained, $2,600; collected on losses, $1,900.

Asa G. Candler, treasurer of the board of missions, made the following report, showing the amounts raised by districts. The report shows that the amount raised by the Atlanta district in both foreign and home missions is several thousand dollars more than was raised by any other district.

Districts.	Foreign.	Home.	Total.
Atlanta..	$ 3,850	$ 2,400	$ 6,250
Athens..	2,210	1,372	3,582
Augusta..	2,500	1,600	4,100
Dalton..	1,700	1,050	2,750
Elberton	1,945	1,200	3,145
Gainesville	1,760	1,098	2,858
Griffin..	2,378	1,486	4,864
LaGrange	2,240	1,450	3,690
Marietta	1,382	864	2,246
Oxford..	2,165	1,350	3,515
Rome.	1,870	1,130	3,000
Total..	$24,000	$15,000	$39,000

To Meet in Griffin.

Soon after the opening of the session yesterday morning Dr. John W. Heidt moved the reconsideration of the action of the conference at the previous session in regard to leaving the matter of selecting a place for the holding of the next meeting in the hands of a committee of five. The motion prevailed, and immediately there was a flood of invitations from different towns within the bounds of the conference. Griffin, Milledgeville, Barnesville, St. James church, Augusta, and St. Mark, Atlanta, each extended the conference an invitation to hold the next session.

Griffin was chosen.

Dr. Monk, of Atlanta, stated that one of the leading members of his church, after reading in The Constitution of yesterday that the conference had not received an invitation for its next meeting, had requested him to extend an invitation from St. Mark church.

Bishop Candler called the last session of the thirty-sixth annual North Georgia conference to order promptly at 9 o'clock yesterday morning. Rev. Fletcher Walton, of Cedartown, led in the devotional exercises. The journal of the previous session as read by Secretary Heidt was approved by the conference.

The joint board of finance, the most important board of the conference, was announced by Bishop Candler yesterday. Hon. H. Warner Hill, the newly appointed railroad commissioner, is one of the new lay members of the board, which is composed of the following: W. T. Irvine, R. B. O. England, J. S. Bryan, W. A. Simmons, J. T. Lowe, L. W. Rivers, J. N. Snow, W. O. Butler, J. M. White, B. F. Fraser, J. S. King, C. W. Smith, J. B. Davenport, S. E. Berry, W. Q. Jones, T. P. Hudson, J. O. A. Miller, H. Warner Hill, T. A. Gramling, J. G. Lester and J. S. Travis.

After the reading of the report of Rev. H. R. Davies, statistical secretary, Bishop Candler took occasion to speak a few minutes on the subject of the ministers being more careful in sending in their individual reports. The bishop roasted the ministers severely for not being more businesslike in their methods. He said that a cash boy in knickerbockers who was as careless with his business as were some of them would be discharged and that without ceremony. "Some of you preachers don't do anything but go about and spill some discourses."

The following boards and committees made their reports: Epworth League board, Orphans' home committee, district conference records committee, book and periodical committee, Bible cause committee, temperance committee and The Wesleyan Christian Advocate committee. The special committee on insurance reported unfavorably on the conference indorsing the National Mutual Church Insurance Company, but the report was tabled upon motion of Rev. Fletcher Walton.

The work of establishing the Wesleyan tabernacle was commended by the conference.

A resolution was introduced in which Bishop Candler was thanked for the excellent way in which he had presided over the conference and the courtesy and consideration he had shown the old members of the body. The members and the pastor, Rev. Charles W. Byrd, of First church, were thanked for their hospitable entertainment. Secretary Heidt and his staff of assistants, the railroads, the newspapers and the pastors of the city churches were all thanked for the courtesies they had extended the conference.

After the reading of the appointments by Bishop Candler the conference adjourned to meet in Griffin next fall.

CARNEGIE INSTITUTE BOARD.

Trustees Meet in Annual Session at Washington.

Washington, November 25.—The trustees of the Carnegie institute met in the new Willard hotel today in annual session, with Dr. D. C. Gilman, president of the institution, in the chair. The principal business of the forenoon session, consisted of the reading and discussion of the report of the executive committee appointed at the meeting held last January. A majority of the members of the board was present, among them:

Senator Frye, president of the senate; Speaker Henderson, of the house of representative; Daniel C. Gilman, Maryland; John Hay, District of Columbia; William Lindsay, of Kentucky; Elihu Root, E. D. White, Louisiana; C. D. Walcott, District of Columbia; C. D. Wright, District of Columbia.

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Silk-lined box Overcoats, black or Oxford, $22.50 to $40.00.

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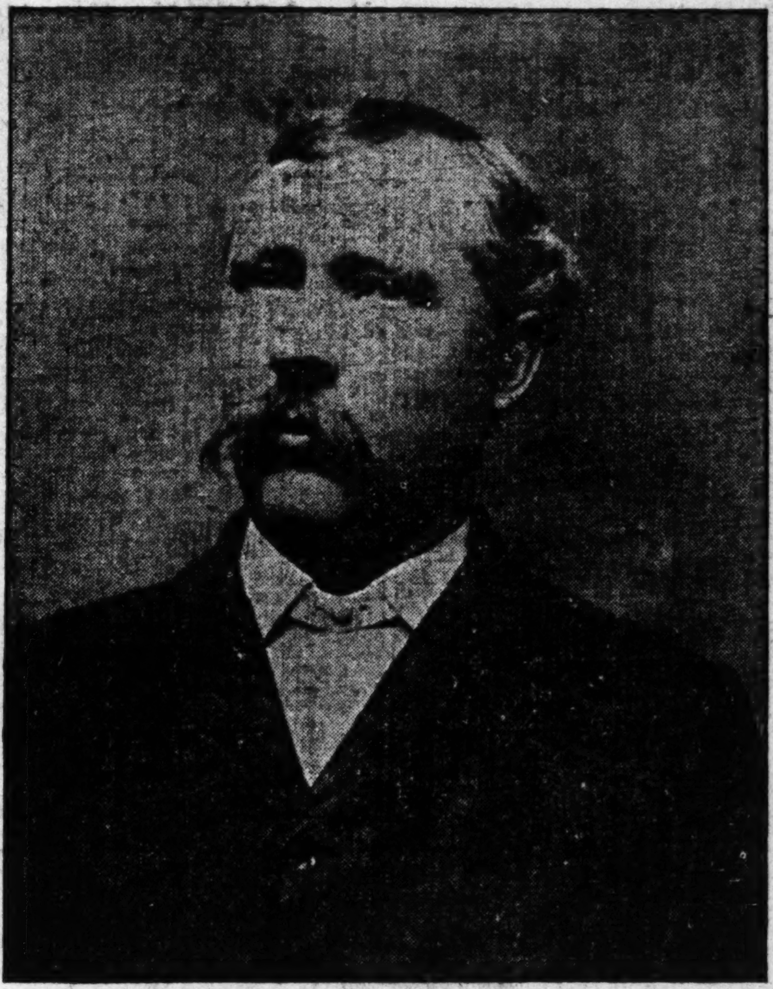

MR. J. A. FULLER.

Atlanta, Ga., March 8, 1902.

To the Editor of The Atlanta Constitution: I have decided for the first time to give my testimonial, hoping thereby to benefit some one. Some time ago I became a physical wreck from kidney disease. I was under the care and treatment of two or three able physicians, and later, two different specialists, but continued to get worse and decided that my case was incurable and tried to resign myself to fate. I fell off in weight. I was so weak I could hardly walk. The least mental exercise would almost prostrate me. I made up my mind to try Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root. The first bottle gave me such relief that I continued to use it until I had taken about six small bottles, when I considered myself cured. I spent money for everything that promised relief but to find it worthless, until at last I got hold of Swamp-Root, and I cannot praise it high enough. Hoping you continued success, I am, yours respectfully,

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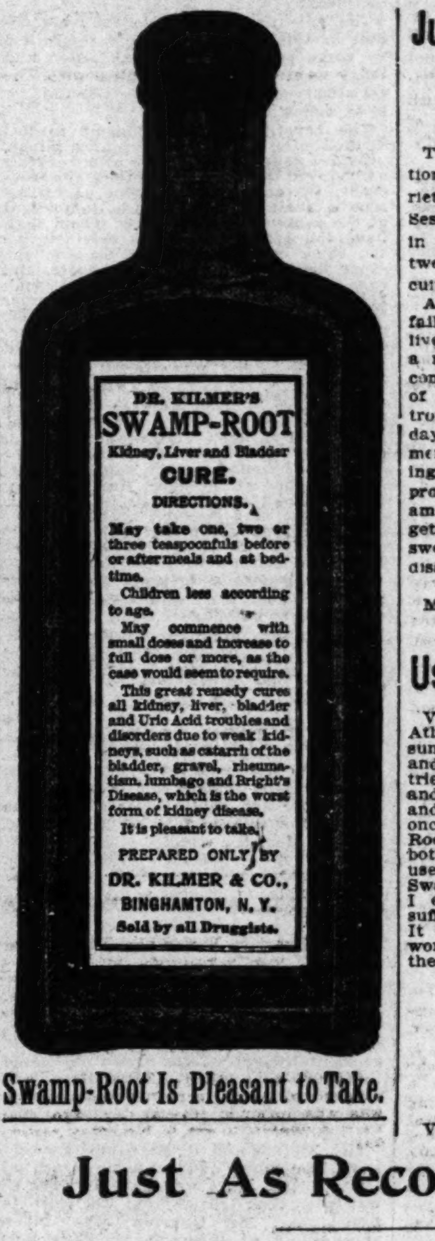
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Judge Sessions Recommends Swamp-Root.

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About two months ago my appetite failed so that I could not eat anything. I lived on beef soup principally for about a month. In the meantime I would be compelled to get up more than an average of every hour through the night; also, troubled in the same way through the day. Having seen Swamp-Root recommended for such cases, I commenced taking it. In a short time my appetite improved, and I felt better generally. I am also relieved from being compelled to get up through the night so often. The swelling in my feet and legs has nearly disappeared.

JUDGE W. M. SESSIONS.

Marietta, Ga., January 15, 1901.

Used Only Two Bottles.

Valdosta, Ga., January 1, 1902.—Editor Atlanta Constitution, Atlanta, Ga.: Last summer I suffered terribly with my back and I tried plasters of several kinds and tried baths and liniments with no relief, and I noticed a secretion from my urine and decided I had kidney trouble. I at once began using Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root and before I had finished the first bottle I noticed an improvement. I only used two bottles and today I know Swamp-Root is the best kidney remedy I ever saw and do hope all who are suffering with their kidneys will try it. It certainly did me all the good in the world and I heartily recommend it as the best kidney medicine I ever knew.

Mrs C. H. King

Valdosta, Ga.

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A Boon and a Blessing.

Atlanta, Ga., January 16, 1902.

To the Editor of The Constitution: "After suffering for about five years with kidney trouble, and getting no relief from any of the medicine I used, I was advised to try Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, which I did, and it has proven a blessing, for it has cured me. I only used two bottles. I cheerfully recommend it to all who suffer with kidney, liver or bladder troubles. Will always use it in my family in preference to all other remedies. I cannot praise Swamp-Root too highly.

Mrs M. M. Barnes

116 Julian St., Atlanta, Ga.

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Geo. Butler

Publisher Farmers' Directory.
Inverness, Fla., October 10, 1902.

Ten Remedies Failed; Swamp-Root Cured Me.

Editors Constitution, Atlanta, Ga.—Gentlemen: I wish to say that I have been benefited, in fact, cured of a bad case of kidney trouble by Swamp-Root. My kidneys have been bothering me for the last six months and I tried at least ten remedies and found no relief until I tried Swamp-Root. I am entirely cured now. Yours very truly,

L. Heidt

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UNANIMOUS VOTE FOR BIG MERGER

Macon Council Ratifies Agreement of Coal Companies.

Matter in Hands of Ordinance and Finance Committee — Kick on Farm in Fair Grounds. Other Central City News in Brief.

By E. C. Bruffey.

Constitution Bureau,
Brown House,
Macon, Ga., November 25.

Without altering a paragraph changing a line, without eliminating one word from the original draft of the agreement made last Saturday by and between Senator A. O. Bacon, of the North and South street railroad, and President Carling, of the Consolidated properties, a presentation of which was made exclusively in The Constitution Sunday morning last, the board of aldermen heard the paper read tonight and then without discussion referred the contract to the finance and ordinance committees.

It was a regular meeting of the board of aldermen, and when Mayor Smith called the body to order every member was in his seat. In the auditorium there was quite a gathering of citizens, all interested in the outcome of the agreement. The question was projected by the reading of a petition from the North and South street railroad. The petition asked for a modification of the ordinance relating to the consolidation of the street car properties of the city. In making the request it recited the fact that an agreement had been reached by the North and South people and the president of the merged roads, of which the Metropolitan and the road with which Senator Bacon's road had an old contract, was one, and then gave the terms of agreement. It was the same as that presented in The Constitution Sunday.

By the agreement a half hour schedule of cars without conductors for the present and the removal of some tracks were the main features stipulated. The council was asked to modify the original ordinance so that it might conform with the new compact. At the conclusion of the reading of the paper no one indicated a desire to speak further than a motion to refer the question to the finance and ordinance committees. On the motion to refer the ayes and noes were called. The full board voted for the reference, and as the voice of the finance and ordinance committees went that way it is safe to predict that these two committees will report in favor of the modification of the contract as asked.

Horse Owners Dissatisfied.

Immediately after council convened a committee from the Driving club, composed of Ben L. Jones, Dr. G. W. Lee and D. R. Malone, appeared before the body and asked that the leasing of the ground inside the mile track at Central City park, granted at the meeting of the board last Tuesday night, be rescinded. The gentlemen did not want the ground used for agricultural purposes, as it was not conducive to the betterment of the condition of the fair grounds.

The gentlemen composing the committee were given a voice before the board and when they had concluded their request was denied. The board declined to cancel the lease already made on the grounds of "good faith with the lessee."

Among the horse owners of the city there is no little dissatisfaction with the contemplated farm inside the mile track.

Electric Light Contract.

The contract for furnishing the city with lights on the streets and in public buildings and with power was presented. The committee declared the bid of the Macon Railway and Lighting Company the lowest submitted and handed in a contract with that company covering a period of ten years. The contract calls for fifty arc lights, for which the city agrees to pay $75 a year—for each additional light of that kind $72.50 being the price fixed. Incandescent lights are set up for 15 cents an hour, while for power a charge of 13 1-2 cents an hour is made. The contract stipulates the manner in which the lights are to be hung, where they are to be placed and calls for a forfeiture on the part of the company for a failure in any part of its contract. The paper gives the city electrician adequate powers to control the system and to correct any errors or faults that may exist at any time. The contract was referred to the light committee and to the city attorney.

A batch of petitions covering a multitude of subjects was read by the clerk and referred to the committee having charge of the line of work to which they belonged. A number of reports from various committees were presented and adopted without discussion.

Wounds Will Prove Fatal.

Fannie May Brown, the negro girl who was chopped almost into shreds late Saturday night, on Fourth street, is in a dying condition at the city hospital. Dr. Eugene Elder, the house surgeon, stated at midnight that there was no hope for the girl's recovery. The wound across the abdomen was exceedingly ugly. The girl was completely disemboweled and the intestines were cut in two places. The operation required at the time the girl was taken to the hospital was a decidedly delicate one and required nearly two hours of patient, cautious work. That she survived the ordeal, the surgeons, Dr. Elder and Dr. Weaver, were astonished. Sunday she showed some sign of improvement, but yesterday a fever set in and today inflammation followed. The surgeons have given the case unusual care and attention, because the wounds ordinarily would have produced almost instant death. Besides the wound entirely across the abdomen, the knife in penetrating the back severed one lung, making a wound there which was calculated to produce quick death. So far the police have been unable to find the young negro who used the knife so vigorously, notwithstanding the fact that they have one-half of the negro's coat, which was torn from his body in his desperate fight for liberty at the time of the trouble.

SENATE MUST ACT ON APPOINTMENTS

Justices of Florida Supreme Court To Be Confirmed.

ENDING OF SESSION DATE

Governor Jennings Names Judges Subject to Approval of Senate, Which Body Will Determine Length of Terms of Their Offices.

Tallahassee, Fla., November 25.—(Special.)—Much misapprehension, due to ignorance of the legal provisions applicable to the situation, prevails in this state over the fact that the commissions issued by Governor Jennings last week to the newly appointed justices of the supreme court authorize them to serve only "until the end of the next ensuing session of the senate, unless an appointment be sooner made and confirmed or consented to by the senate."

The governor is desirous that his action in this matter be clearly explained by some paper of wide circulation, and today went over the authorities with The Constitution's representative, and the law is as follows:

The constitutional amendment ratified at the recent election, among other things, provides that, "Upon ratification of this amendment to the constitution, the governor, by and with the consent of the senate, shall appoint three more justices of the supreme court, each of whom shall have the same powers and shall receive the same compensations as each of the other justices of the supreme court, and each of the justices so appointed shall hold office until the first Tuesday after the first Monday in June, in the year 1905, and may further hold office until his successor shall be elected and qualified, if it shall be so provided by law. For the year 1905 and for the subsequent years the legislature may provide by law for the election of such number of justices of the supreme court as it may determine, and prescribe their terms of office, not to exceed six years; provided, that the number of justices of the supreme court holding office at the same time shall not be less than three and shall not be greater than six; and provided that no justice of the supreme court can by such an act of the legislature be deprived of his office during the term for which he was elected."

It was generally believed that, under this provision, the additional justices would be commissioned until June, 1905. But there are directory statutes and decisions of the supreme court which control the action of the governor in the premises.

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IS STRUCK BY A LOCOMOTIVE.

T. E. Houston Seriously Injured at Elk Horn Mines.

Roanoke, Va., November 25.—T. E. Houston, a millionaire coal operator of the Elk Horn, West Virginia, district, while busy about one of his mines today, accidentally got on the track of one of the small coal hauling locomotives, and was stuck in such a manner as to break several ribs and inflicting serious internal injuries.

The Norfolk and Western officials here were telephoned and made up a special train at Elk Horn and gave it right of way over their tracks from Elk Horn to Lynchburg. Mr. Houston was taken aboard and accompanied by physicians started at once for Philadelphia, his home. He will reach Philadelphia early tomorrow morning.

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LOSS BY FIRE IS $150,000

Opera House and Six Stores Completely Destroyed at Greensboro, Ala.

Selma, Ala., November 25.—(Special.)—Fire broke out in the opera house at the town of Greensboro, Ala., near here, last night shortly after 11 o'clock, and before it could be extinguished the opera house and six stores were destroyed.

The Selma fire department was telegraphed for, as it was thought that the fire had gotten beyond control, and would destroy the town, but just after an engine and truck had been loaded on a train, word came that the fire was under control.

The blaze originated behind the stage of the opera house, where a lecture was being delivered, and spread rapidly to the adjoining stores. The contents of all the stores were completely destroyed, and it is thought that the loss will reach in the neighborhood of $150,000, which is only partially covered by insurance.

SUBSTITUTE WAS ADOPTED.

Committee Favors Commission To Investigate Subject of Uniform eTxt Books.

After a spirited debate the educational committee of the house yesterday afternoon adopted a substitute to the resolution by Mr. West, of Lowndes, providing for the creation of a commission to investigate the subject of a system of uniform text books for the common schools of Georgia.

This substitute, which was offered by Mr. Cann, of Chatham, provides that the commission shall be composed of eight members, of which the chancellor of the university is to be chairman. Two of the members, who are to be prominent educators of the state, are to be appointed by the governor; three members of the house to be appointed by the speaker and two members of the senate to be appointed by the president of the senate.

Among those who discussed the matter before the committee, when the substitute was considered, were Mr. Cann, of Chatham; Mr. Mitchell, of Thommas; Mr. West, of Lowndes; Mr. Wilson, of Clay; Sam W. Small and others. After all the argument for and against the substitute had been presented the committee went into executive session and agreed to report the resolution back with a favorable recommendation in the shape of a sub-

MISS REGINA MANLEY,
Who Appears as Minna in "Little Lord Fauntleroy."

THE MARLBORO COTTON MILLS.

Company with Capital of $1,000,000 Given Charter in South Carolina.

Columbia, S. C., November 25.—South Carolina is to have another $1,000,000-mill—the Marlboro cotton mills. A commission to the company was issued by the secretary of state today. The plant will be located at McColl, in Marlboro county, and the capital stock is to be $1,000,000. The corporators are E. Strudwick, of Richmond, Va.; T. B. Gibson, A. W. Morrison, Charles Iceman, Robert Chapman and J. R. Parker, of McColl; and D. D. McColl and T. W. Bouchier, of Bennettsville.

TEBEAU STEERS CLEAR OF FRANK

Not Backing the Memphis Man in the New Southern League.

Louisville, Ky., November 25.—George Tebeau, president of the Louisville Baseball Club, returned from Chicago and Cincinnati tonight. Regarding the relation of the American Association to the Southern League, Mr. Tebeau said:

"The American Association has entered into no agreement whatever with the new Southern League. All of our members are anxious to see the fight in the south settled, and to that end Mr. Hickey offered his services. He stands ready to use his good offices. That is as far as we have gone or will go."

Mr. Tebeau does not think there will be any change in the American Association circuit the coming season.

"The association was organized for ten years," said Mr. Tebeau, "and no change can be made unless a club owner requests the privilege of transferring his club to some other city. This move we don't anticipate, unless it should come from St. Louis or Indianapolis.

"McLennon, at St. Paul, is satisfied to represent St. Paul in the American Association providing he is permitted to build a down-town park. In Indianapolis the people attend fairly well on week days, but without Sunday ball the visiting clubs don't receive enough to cover expenses in going there, and if Manager Watkins is not permitted to play Sunday ball next season, the American Association is going to request him to transfer his club to Chicago."

EUGENE A. HAWKINS, MAYOR.

He Wins in Close Race in Election at Americus.

Americus, Ga., November 25.—(Special.) The hottest primary election witnessed in Americus in years was waged today, resulting in the nomination of Eugene A. Hawkins for mayor, John McGarrah for city treasurer.

The aldermanic race is exceedingly close and the count is not yet completed, though indications at 10 o'clock point to the nomination of George T. Sullivan, J. A. Pinkston and Elmore Poole in a contest of seven entries. The result between Messrs. Hawkins and John B. Felder, the incumbent, was close, Hawkins' plurality being perhaps 50 votes.

Nearly seven hundred white voters were registered, and despite the downpour of rain interest was intense to the finish, and nearly the entire registered vote was polled. No election of recent years created greater interest in Americus. The newly elected officials will be installed in January for a term of two years.

MME. DUSE AT WHITE HOUSE.

Italian Actress Received by Roosevelts in Friendly Call.

Washington, November 25.—Madame Duse, the Italian actress, was received by President and Mrs. Roosevelt today at the white house. The call lasted about an half hour, the time being occupied in a chat on various matters of personal interest.

THROWN BY GOAT OF SECRET ORDER

S. M. Mitchell Says He Was Permanently Injured in Initiation.

Wooden Animal, Worked by Springs, Used by Woodmen of the World, Exhibited in Yorkville, S. C., Court—Asks $25,000.

Columbia, S. C., November 25.—(Special.) The trial of the suit of Samuel W. Mitchell against Sovereign camp, Woodmen of the World, for $25,000 damages, began in Yorkville today. The sovereign commander and the general counsel from Omaha are in attendance.

The complaint is that Mitchell, when being initiated into the Hickory Grove camp, was made to ride a goat; that the animal was on long legs and loaded with springs; that it "bucked," and finally threw Mitchell heavily. Mitchell claims that he was injured by the bucking—he was injured in a manner that no damages can repay. An operation became necessary soon after, and he is a ruined man for life.

The goat was brought into court, and operated amid much merriment.

Rev. L. Oates, consul commander of the camp, testified that Mitchell had not been roughly handled, but had tried to fight after being thrown from the goat.

A good deal of expert testimony as to the effect of Mitchell's injuries was taken. On being questioned closely, the plaintiff said he had eleven children, and that the youngest was born about eleven months after his initiation into the lodge.

Sovereign Commander Root, of Omaha, said the goat was not in the regular ritual of the order. He was an aside, for which the order was not responsible. The trial was continued until tomorrow.

IGLESIAS DID NOT RUN AWAY.

Costa Rican Minister Denies Rumor Concerning Former President.

Washington, November 25.—Referring to news from San Jose published today to the effect that Dr. Iglesias has fled from Costa Rica, Mr. Calvo, the minister from Costa Rica, made the following statement:

"Some time after the inauguration last May of the new administration ex-President Iglesias asked for a leave of absence from the country, the constitution providing that no president should leave the country within one year after the inauguration of the succeeding one, unless authorized by congress. Congress granted Mr. Iglesias' request, there being no reason to the contrary. Since that time the newspapers had given news of his intended departure from time to time, and Costa Ricans residing in the United States have expected Mr. Iglesias in this country since September last. Therefore the announcement that he has sailed in a secret manner is not correct."

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Lameness.—"I strongly recommend Pond's Extract for lameness and use it constantly."—MICHAEL DONOVAN, N. Y. Athletic Club.
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NEGROES URGED TO BRING SUIT

Wise Thinks They Can Recover $5,000 Each for Lost Votes in Virginia.

Richmond, Va., November 25.—John S. Wise, counsel for the colored contestants of the new constitution, has taken steps for the issuing of an unlimited number of printed suit forms and their distribution broadcast throughout Virginia, so that each negro who was denied registration under the suffrage clause may fill in as many as may be necessary and file them by his attorney in the nearest circuit court of the United States for that particular district of Virginia, bringing suit for $5,000 damages against every individual member of the constitutional convention. the governor, the three members of the registration board which refused to register him, and the three judges at the plaintiff's voting precinct.

Mr. Wise alleges conspiracy on the part of the members of the constitutional convention and other defendants to deprive plaintiffs of the right to vote.

BIG GUNS LISTED FOR CUP LIFTING

Many Prominent Yachting Folks To Come with Sir Thomas.

Special Correspondence.

London, November 15.—Sir Thomas Lipton is arranging to take a distinguished party over to America to see the cup race. Members of the Royal Ulster Club will make up the greater portion of the party, but various members of all the other leading yacht clubs in the country have also been invited. From the moment of leaving England until they return they will be Sir Thomas' guests and it is expected that the whole thing will cost him at least $50,000. It is hinted that Sir Thomas' idea in going to such expense is the result of his firm belief that he will bring the cup to England this time.

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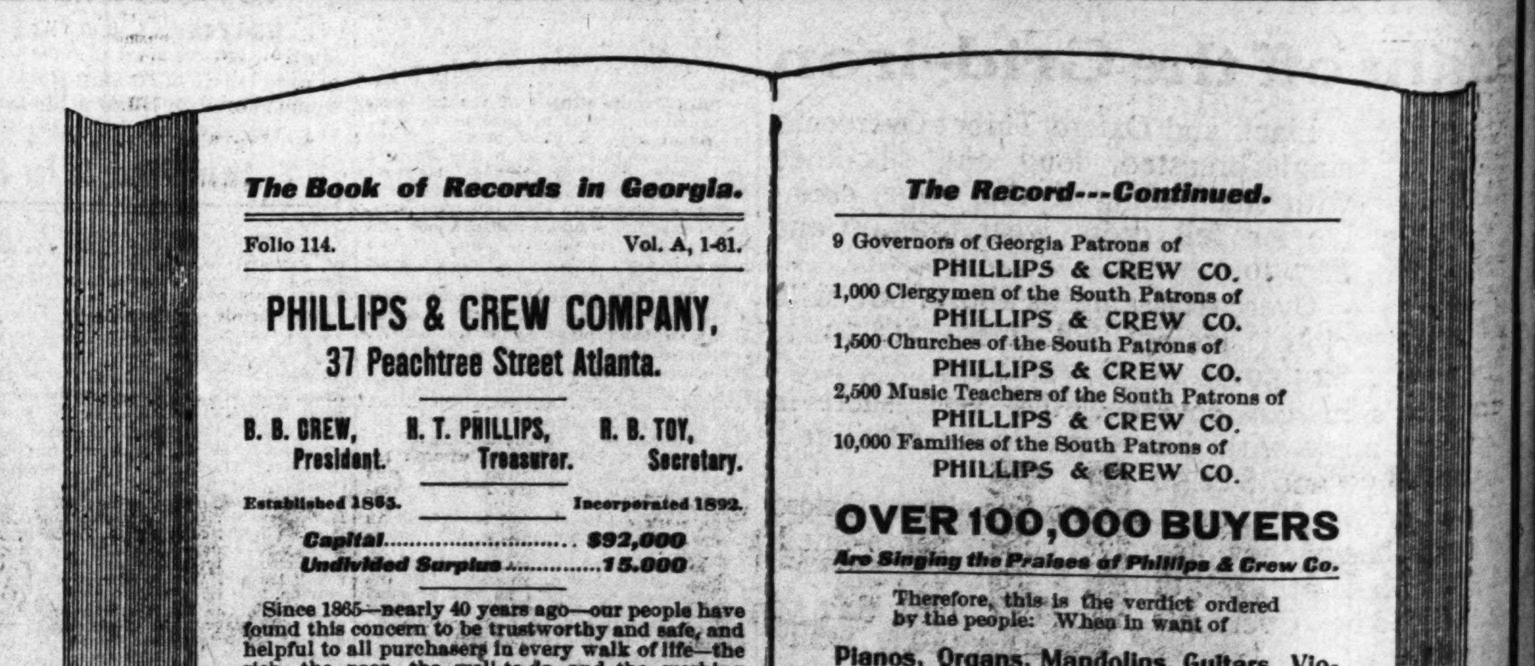

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INSANE ASYLUM HONOR TO STATE

This Is the Decision of Committee from General Assembly.

Every Department of Institution Inspected and Reflects Great Credit on Management. Charges Made in Spirit of Revenge.

Milledgeville, Ga., November 25.—(Special.)—The state sanatorium is run in a manner which reflects great credit upon the management of same and is an honor to the state of Georgia.

This is the decision of the committee of the general assembly sent by resolution to investigate same.

The committee was met on arrival here by the trustees of the asylum. Divided into subcommittees, all departments were inspected, and at 7 o'clock the entire committee, after hearing reports of subcommittees, adopted the following resolutions:

"Whereas, Certain charges made and investigated one year ago reflecting upon the management of the state sanatorium have recently been made again in the joint meeting of the senate and house sanatorium committees of the Georgia legislature by Dr. W. A. O'Daniel; and,

"Whereas, Charges made of a nature which severely reflect upon the management and control of said institution; and,

"Whereas, The joint committee appointed to visit the state sanatorium have this day thoroughly inspected every department of this institution, and we find every department of said institution run in a manner which reflects great credit upon the management of same and an honor to the state of Georgia; therefore, be it

"Resolved by the joint committee appointed to visit the state sanatorium, That, after a thorough investigation, we find said charges unfounded and untrue and made in a spirit of revenge and not in the interest of the people of Georgia.

"Be it further resolved, That the trustees and superintendent and officers of the said institution have the thanks of said committee for their devotion to this, the greatest of all Georgia's noble institutions."

GOLD BRICK MAN GOES TO PRISON

For Swindling Meyer Cohen Out of $6,000 Brotzski Gets Four Years.

Boston, November 25.—As a penalty for swindling Meyer Cohan, of this city, out of $6,000 by means of a gold brick game more than a year ago, Samuel Brotzski, 66 years of age, who claims a residence in New York, was sentenced today to state prison for not less than four or more than seven years.

Brotzski told Cohan that he was at one time a Russian convict in the Siberian mines, that while there a Russian captain of the guard fell in love with a female convict and was induced to leave the country with her. Brotzski and fifteen companions escaped and together with the officer and his sweetheart came to New York, the officer having in his possession a bag containing gold dust which acording to Brotzski he was afraid to sell openly as it might lead to his arrest as a deserter.

Brotzski exhibited samples of the dust, which were sent to an assayer anw as they proved to be pure gold, Conan purchased the entire amount for $6,000, only to find later that the bag contained brass filings. The officers told the court that Brotzski had been sentenced to serve five years in Sing Sing for swindling a New York man out of $12,000 by the same trick and had also served two years in Pittsburg for a similar offense.

Brotzski is said to be wanted in Montreal and Baltimore.

MANGLED BY ENGINE WHEELS.

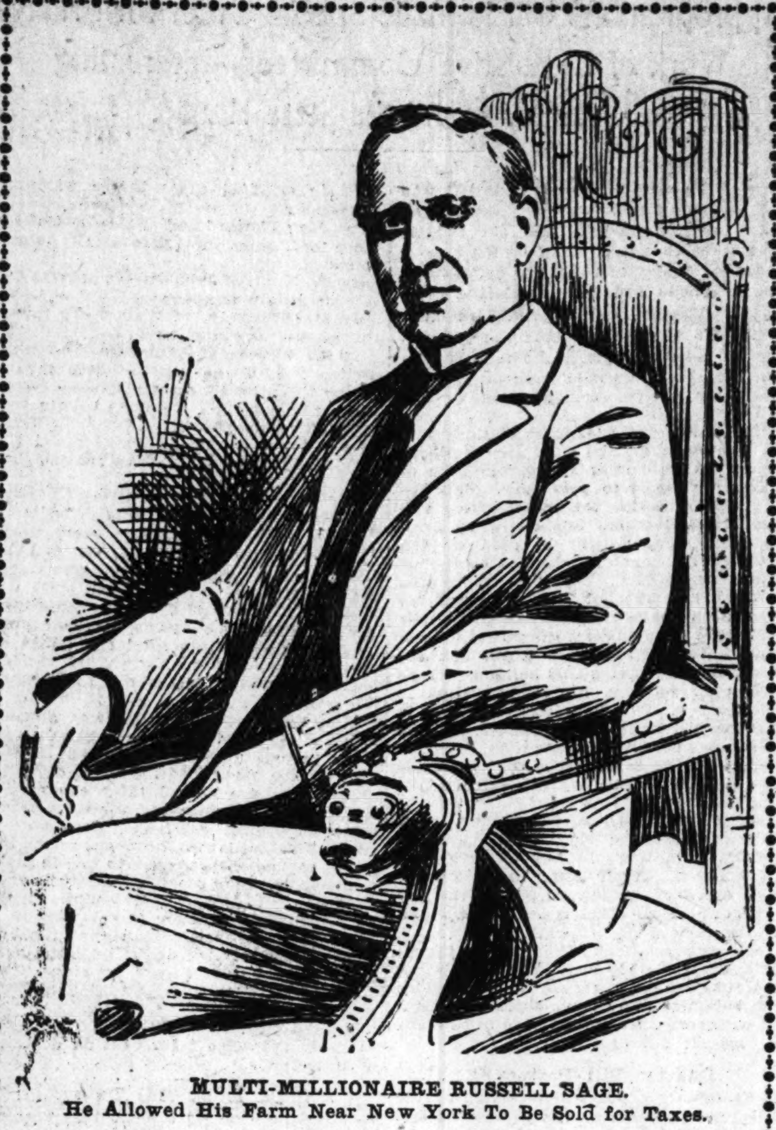
Negro Porter Who Escaped Injury in Wreck Loses His Life.

Spartanburg, S. C., November 25.—(Special.)—It appears that an evil fate overhung the fast mail No. 35, which was wrecked here yesterday. One of the survivors of this wreck, Ike McDowell, was killed a few hours later by being ground under the wheels of an engine.

McDowell got on No. 39, the local which leaves for Atlanta at 10:10 a. m. News reached here that McDowell was run over and killed about Easley, S. C., a few hours after leaving this city.

W. H. COPPAGE DIED LAST NIGHT at 7:30 o'clock at his residence, 24 Alexander street. He had been ill about two weeks with paralysis. The deceased is survived by his wife. He was a member of Gate City lodge Masons and Comanche Tribe Red Men, and those orders will have charge of the funeral. Funeral services will be conducted tomorrow, but the hour has not been announced. The interment will be in Oakland cemetery.

SHERIFF SELLS FOR TAXES FARM BELONGING TO SAGE



MULTI-MILLIONAIRE RUSSELL SAGE.
He Allowed His Farm Near New York To Be Sold for Taxes.

Nyack, N. Y., November 25.—A farm belonging to Russell Sage, the aged millionaire, was sold at a public sale of land in Rockland county for non-payment of taxes today. The sale was conducted at New City, the county seat, by County Treasurer Randolph.

The Sage farm was sold for $47, the amount of taxes due, and was bought in by the county. It was one of about seventy-five pieces of property disposed of in this manner and when Auctioneer Kelley announced the owner of the farm there was much amusement among the crowd. The farm is a fine one of 100 acres and is situated in Sycletown, near Nyack. It is occupied by E. C. B. Rand, who is Mr. Sage's confidential railroad man. Rand bought the farm some years ago and Sage held a mortgage on it. Rand failed to pay the interest and Sage foreclosed the mortgage and has since owned the farm.

Rockland county officials have had trouble before in collecting the taxes from Sage and years ago it was sold for taxes, but was subsequently redeemed. Mr. Sage can do so again after a certain length of time by paying the back taxes and 10 per cent interest.

VIRGINAL BIRTH OF THE CHRIST

Dogma Is Causing Great Stir in the Church of England.

London, November 25.—As a climax to the widespread agitation caused by the sensational address made by the dean of Ripon, the Rev. W. H. Fremantle, to the Churchmen's Union, October 29, in which he suggested that the idea of the immaculate conception should be left out of account because, except in St. Matthew and St. Luke, the virginal birth of Christ is not mentioned in the New Testament, and also questioned the miracles, such as raising the dead by Christ and his resurrection, the bishop of Ripon, the Rt. Rev. Boyd Carpenter, has written a letter imploring the dean, "on behalf of many devout and simpe-hearted Christians," to reiterate his belief in the creed of the church. Such a statement, says the bishop, "your friends and many hearts are looking for with anxiety.'

The dean of Ripon, in replying to the bishop's appeal, ignores the controversial point, but emphasizes his belief in the absolute deity of Christ and his sincerity in reciting the creed.

DAHLONEGA STUDENTS SPEAK.

Contest for Representative at Oratorical Contest.

Dahlonega, Ga., November 25.—(Special.) The contest in oratory to determine the selection of a man to take the place of P. J. Horten, resigned, as Dahlonega's representative at the next meeting of the State Oratorical Association, occurred last evening in the chapel of the North Georgia Agricultural college. The speakers and their themes were:

R. B. Gautier, of Florida, "Compulsory Education as a Solution of the Child Labor Problem."

John R. Byers, of Price, Ga., "The Trust Problem."

J. F. Brooch, of Social Circle, Ga., "Is There Any Balm in Gilead? A Phase of the Race Problem."

Rufus A. Byers, of Price, Ga., and J. D. Gortatowsky, of Albany, Ga., discussed leading sociological questions of the day.

Each speaker handled his theme in an able manner and gave unmistakable evidence of oratorical ability of a high order. It is conceded that the decision of the judges is not a foregone conclusion. The name of the successful contestant will be announced as soon as the judges on composition and those on delivery shall have consolidated their markings.

CHILD LABOR BILL TALKED.

Friends of Measure Discuss Wisdom of Bill Before the House.

The advocates of the child labor bill had a small audience at their meeting in the hall of the house of representatives last night, but what the audience lacked in size it made up in attention and enthusiasm with which the speakers were greeted.

A feature of the audience was that it was made up largely of members of the general assembly.

The meeting was held under the joint auspices of the Georgia State Sociological Society and citizens' executive committee. E. H. Thornton, chairman of the latter committee, presided over the meeting and introduced the speakers of the evening, the first of whom was Dr. J. Lawton Hiers, of Savannah, head of the Sociological Society.

Hon. C. C. Houston, member of the general assembly from this county, spoke at length on the subject, giving some interesting facts concerning the condition of this class of labor, which he characterized as one of the black spots on Georgia's otherwise fair record.

Rev. C. B. Wilmer, well-known as an earnest advocate of the bill, was the next speaker.

Rev. Sam W. Small was next introduced. He took up the growth of factories in the south, relating in detail and at some length the wonderful progress of the cotton mill industry in the past two decades.

Long Journey To Wed Soldier.

Chattanooga, Tenn., November 25.—(Special.)—Miss Florence L. Whitney, aged 17, accompanied by her aunt, arrived here today from Somerville, Mass., and was wedded to Private Clarence A. Russell, of the Seventh cavalry, stationed at Chickamauga park. The two were sweethearts before the groom enlisted. He could not secure leave and nothing daunted, the prospective bride came the long journey to wed her choice.

Ohio Monument.

Chattanooga, Tenn., November 25.—(Special.)—Members of the Ohio monument commission left for home today. The monument will be located in a commanding position on Missionary ridge. The contract for the construction has been let. The monument will be ready for dedication next September.

WHITE GOING INTO THE ARMY.

Richardson Secures Commission for Young Alabaman.

Washington, November 25.—Representative Richardson, of Alabama, obtained from the president today a promise to appoint Augustine W. White to a second lieutenancy in the army. Mr. White is a member of an old Alabama family and had the cordial support in his application for appointment of John G. Greenaway, an officer of the president's regiment, the Rough Riders.

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ISSUE OF BONDS DECLARED LEGAL

Chancellor Carmichael Renders Decision in Alabama Sanitary Sewer Case.

Birmingham, Ala., November 25.—(Special.)—Chancellor J. C. Carmichael this morning rendered a decree dismissing the suit of Madaline Kenne against the Jefferson county sanitary commission, which was filed several days ago.

This suit was brought for the purpose of testing the constitutionality of the issue of bonds for the construction of the trunk sanitary sewer in this county. While there has been litte doubt but what the bonds were valid, it was thought best to make a test case.

The case will be carried to the supreme court immediately.

NEGRO JURORS WERE BARRED

On That Ground Supreme Court of North Carolina Grants New Trial.

Raleigh, N. C., November 25.—(Special.) The supreme court this evening decided a case of peculiar interest. A negro at Charlotte was indicted for gambling. His negro attorney created a sensation by moving to quash the indictments, alleging the jury list was revised with partiality to discriminate against negroes, and presented an affidavit by the defendant that it was the purpose of the officers in selecting juries to discriminate against negroes.

The superior court judge held that he was powerless to quash, overruled the motion and the negro was convicted.

The supreme court, granting a new trial, says the judge below was in error; that the matter in the affidavit should have been inquired into; that the question was whether in the selection of jurors to indict or try him all persons of his race or color were to be excluded by law solely because of their race or color, so that by no possibility can any negro sit on the jury. The opinion cites a United States supreme court opinion that the alleged discrimination violates the fourteenth amendment to the United States constitution.

EDITOR JAMES E. GOLSON DIES.

Veteran Newspaper Man Passes Away at Selma, Ala.

Selma, Ala., November 25.—(Special.)—James E. Golson, editor of The Morning Times, died at his home in this city this morning after an illness of two weeks of malarial fever. Mr. Golson was 65 years old and was one of the oldest newspaper men in the state, having been in the newspaper business in the state for nearly forty years.

GROVER CLEVELAND TO SPEAK.

Meeting Will Be Held for Benefit of Negro School.

Philadelphia, November 25.—Former President Grover Cleveland has accepted an invitation to preside at a public meeting to be held here on December 11 in the interests of the Berean Manual Training and Industrial School for Colored People. Mr. Cleveland will make an address. Among the other speakers will be former Postmaster General Charles Emory Smith, Colonel A. K. McClure and Booker T. Washington.

WOUNDED CHOKE CITY HUSPITALS

One Hundred and Twenty Riot Victims Cared for at Havana.

Many of Those Wounded Not Taken to the Hospitals — Knives Inflicted Majority of Wounds. Efforts Making To Settle the Strike.

Havana, November 25.—It has developed that more persons were wounded in the riots in front of the palace yesterday than at first reported.

Returns show that 120 persons are being cared for in the hospitals and many of those injured were not taken to the hospitals. Sixteen of those in the hospitals are suffering from bullet wounds, while the others were either knifed or clubbed.

Two strikers and one fireman were killed today as the result of a collision between a fire engine and an electric car.

The street cars are running today without interruption. No further disturbance has been reported.

A strong show of armed force made by the rural guard in the suburbs of Havana quieted the riotous feeling of the strikers. The police are now searching all suspicious persons and strikers who congregate in the streets are immediately dispersed. The strike, however, remains general so far as the trades people are concerned. No bread or meat can be bought and both ice plants are closed, which has caused much food to be spoiled.

There were indications, however, that there will be a break in the general strike today. Several of the baker shops opened during the morning and most of the bakers resumed work, though the central committee of the strikers was unyielding in its determination to continue the strike. Work along the water front was completely suspended. The mayor has issued another edict calling on the strikers to preserve order and remain in their homes.

Coaches and omnibuses began running at noon. The managers of the Commercial Tobacco Company are confident that the strike will end tomorrow or Thursday.

The veterans appointed a committee with General Gomez as chairman to wait on cigar manufacturers and try to arrange a peaceful settlement of the strike. This committee will afterwards meet the strikers' committee if the latter will consent.

The Central Labor Union tonight decided to call off the strike, and committees were appointed to inform the various unions of this decision. There probably will be a complete resumption of work tomorrow.

Much of the credit for the settlement of the strike is due to General Gomez, who headed the committee which consulted today the officials of the Havana Commercial Company against whom the strike was first directed.

MUTINY ON JENNIE HULBERT.

Five Seamen Refuse To Let Brig Leave Norfolk Until Paid.

Norfolk, Va., November 25.—The New York brig Jennie Hurburt is anchored in Hampton Roads with a cargo of asphalt consigned to New York from Maracaibo, Venezuela, and cannot proceed on her voyage on account of a munity among the crew. There are eight seamen on the brig and five of them have refused to allow the craft to go further until they are paid off.

Captain Veasie and F. S. Pendleton, of New York, one of the owners, appeared before District Attorney Allan today with warrants for the arrest of the five men, but the attorney would not order the arrest on the ground that the warrants did not comply with the statutes. Mr. Veasie claims the men shipped in New York for the voyage, and that their terms have not expired.

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The Spirit of Two Contemporaries.

The following editorial excerpts from The Constitution's two evening contemporaries of yesterday explain themselves:

> The Atlanta Constitution is making a frantic effort to draw the fire from the franchise tax dodgers by directing it toward the old pensioners. A noble work, truly!—Atlanta Journal.
>
> The News welcomes the belated support of The Journal and Constitution in its agitation in the matter of the poor street car service that has been given Atlanta for some weeks past. For several weeks The News has been calling attention to some of the shortcomings of the car service, and having aroused the public in the matter it was to be expected that our esteemed contemporaries would fall in line and assist The News in bringing about a much-needed reform in the matter of improvement of certain of the street car schedules.—Atlanta News.

So far as The Constitution is concerned, it never hesitates to recognize a good thing when it sees it and to promote a public interest whenever its attention is called to an opportunity to do so.

Some time ago our esteemed contemporary, The Evening News, took up editorially the question of the inadequacy of Atlanta's street car service as at present conducted. A short while afterward The Journal followed and The Constitution of yesterday, recognizing the merit of the claim of both papers, dealt with the matter in a way which has been enthusiastically approved by the public.

A short while ago The Constitution, being impressed with the injustice being done by the present pension system against the helpless and indigent confederate soldiers of the state—bearing more heavily upon them than any other class—took up actively the wrongs of the system as at present administered, and urged a change on the very line that had been approved by the Confederate Veterans themselves in annual convention assembled.

Then it was that the former ardor of The Journal began to cool perceptibly on the question of pension revision! Not that our contemporary has denied a word The Constitution has said, or has taken issue in the slightest degree with the proposition that the state's pension system should be revised and put on the indigent basis! Our contemporary well knows that it cannot take issue with The Constitution on this question because time and again it has most actively championed the very reform which The Constitution now advocates.

The Constitution claims no pride of authorship in this movement. The truth is, when our contemporary so earnestly championed pension reduction a few years ago in support of the bill introduced in the house of representatives by Hon. Morris Brandon, of Fulton—then, as now, one of the largest stockholders in The Journal, and now its president—we were glad to join hands with it in support of what appeared then to be a most meritorious measure, as seeking to enact legislation of greater importance now than it was then. The pension appropriation, which was but little more than half a million then, has now reached nearly to the million-dollar mark!

The speech of Mr. Brandon in defense of his proposed pension system reform was one of the best and strongest delivered in the house of which he was a member. The editorials of our contemporary in support of the reduction then would admirably fit the situation which confronts the state today, and yet, forsooth, The Constitution's support of the measure so warmly supported by The Journal then—though it has better ground for the same arguments today—becomes a matter for criticism rather than of approval.

We reproduce the above clippings from our evening contemporaries as manifesting the difference in spirit of the two. One is glad to have a contemporary's help, and happy to receive support in any good work it might undertake, but the other prefers to plunge its bill into the trough of prejudice and ill-will and, in effect, to stultify itself by abandoning a principle to indulge in vicious criticism and unjust attack.

In order, however, that our bilious contemporary may have no occasion to doubt the position of The Constitution on the question of taxing franchises, we take occasion to repeat here what so often has been said in these columns—that the state should enact a righteous franchise tax; and this question is more fully discussed in another column.

And now since our contemporary has been for the franchise tax only three days, may we not reasonably expect that it will join us in taking up again the good fight instituted by its president, Mr. Brandon, only a few years ago, and at the time earnestly supported by it, and impress the demand that the pension system be reduced to the indigent basis, taking care of every confederate veteran who is not able to care for himself, and taking from the pension roll the names of all who are independent of state aid?

Only by such legislation can the pension list be reduced.

The Taxing of Franchises.

American legislation and jurisprudence have both passed beyond the line of debate as to the taxability of franchises granted to corporations of a quasi-public character by states and municipalities. The principle is settled that such franchises are property, whether accompanied by physical appurtenances or not and, wherever state constitutions enumerate that all property, saving specified exemptions, must be taxed franchises are held to be lawfully taxable.

Not only so, but courts have held that a failure to provide for their assessment and taxation may become the basis for mandamus to the authorities, on the petition of other taxpayers, to enforce such assessment and taxation.

The idea that a franchise is purely a gratuity, a privilege granted wholly upon the idea that its use will inure to public convenience, and convenience is a sufficient quid pro quo for the grant, is obsolete. No reputable court in America will discount itself by such an attitude in this day.

The correlative idea that a franchise that has not become by operation a part of the necessary machinery of the corporation's physical performances, is yet inchoate and indeterminable as to value, has also been labeled by the courts as functus officio in the argument against franchise taxation.

Franchises unattached to physical plants are dealt in openly in the markets of legislation and business exploitation. They have values as easily calculable in dollars and cents as real estate or any other form of property. Indeed, with many public utility corporations the chiefest value of their existence rests in their franchises which give them the right to the public highways.

For instance, the proved statistics of trolley lines in the leading cities of this country show that most of them certainly earn 10 per centum net per annum, after all fixed and operating and betterment charges are deducted. In other words, in almost any city a well located trolley line will surely maintain itself and return to the owners not only interest, but dividends equal to the full value of the road in ten years at the furthest.

Steam railways and many other industrial franchises are equally profitable and the states of the union have swung into almost solid line for their taxation. Such taxation has enabled New York and Ohio both to practically abolish the tax levy upon the common property of the people of those states.

It is no more than simple justice to the average tax-payers of the state that the public utility corporations doing business upon the sovereign favor and converting that grace into gold for generations should bear their due share of the expenses of the government. All the powers of the government are used by them even more liberally than they are by any private tax-payer and hence there can be found no valid reason why they should not pay on all their property, incorporeal as well as physical, the taxes the state needs for executive, legislative and judicial purposes.

The general assembly, representing the sentiments of 137 several constituencies of the state, should deal finally and affirmatively with this question. That they will do so with equity and with profit to the state we do not doubt.

Mitchell on the Stand.

The presidential strike commissioners in hearing testimony upon the issues submitted to them naturally found a most interesting witness in John Mitchell, president of the Mine Workers' Association. From him they sought to obtain the complete statement of the miners' grievances and demands. To help in the elucidation they permitted Mr. Mitchell to be cross-examined and badgered by the eminent and expert lawyers of the coal operators.

So far as the reports reveal Mr. Mitchell met the ordeal with the calm and sober temper that he exhibited throughout the entire strike controversy. He seems to be a man of sincere convictions, of definite ideas and unselfish interest in the humanities that he believes are the right of those whom he represents. His answers were pondered and evidently intended to put upon the record the entire contention of the miners, that the public may know what is tenable and what untenable in their claims.

Mr. Mitchell appears to good advantage as a labor leader. He is not a wild-eyed revolutionist like Dennis Kearney, of San Francisco sand-lot fame. He is not a wrecker like Martin Irons, who made the Missouri Pacific strike a saturnalia of riot and pillage. He is not a political revolutionist like Eugene Debs, who inaugurated a reign of terror over a vast region of the west. On the contrary, Mitchell believes that it is possible to conduct a strike within the limits of law and order and by it emphasize the crucial issue of the equities between labor and capital.

By bringing this latest coal strike to the table of a national, even if extra legal, arbitration he has won the most signal victory for organized labor that has ever come its way. Nobody can predict what findings and recommendations this commission will make, nor the final effects of their labors, but the intervention of the president and the spectacle of labor and capitol brought to a common level of argument over their differences will not be without future and great benefits to the labor world.

It will not be strange, indeed, if this episode should lead at last to the adoption by states and by the nation of arbitration courts endowed with the plenary power to settle disputes between labor and capital and enforce their judgments. And for such a beneficent result John Mitchell will be accorded ample honor by this generation and by posterity.

Southern Aid to Northern Colleges.

The press telegrams announce that Mr. James Stillman, president of the City National Bank of New York, and himself one of the great multimillionaires of the nation, has given $100,000 to Harvard university to aid in certain anatomical investigations.

We presume that Harvard needs the money and have no doubt she will make good use of it. The incident would therefore be commonplace but for one thing. Mr. Stillman is a southern man and while his millions may have been made in New York financiering they were not made without some relationship to the south's contributions to New York properties.

The strange thing to us is that gentlemen like Mr. Stillman and others of southern birth, but now domiciled in the east, find it so easy to ignore the necessities of their kindred in the south and so satisfying to make their large charitable and educational contributions to the already opulent institutions of the north and east. There must be some moving cause to such needless and conspicuous discriminations, but we confess our total inability to discover that cause. Our only relief from speculating upon it is to fall back upon the axiom that "to them that hath shall be given."

But why should the poverty of our southern colleges bar them from the help of the wealthy and generous men who have gone from the south to the north? Is it a token that they are unfit to administer large specific gifts for scientific and experimental purposes? Why should it be regarded a waste of money to supply the means to a southern college to pursue certain lines of investigation, when we have here in the south problems in biology, ethics, sociology, ethnology, agriculture and medical exploitation unique to this region alone and which can be better studied and determined in the environment than from outside of it?

This is a question which some of our expert educators ought to tackle with vim and put before the rich southerners in the east in a sensible and sympathy-exciting fashion.

Babcock may not get to the head of the ways and means committee, but he surely furnished the ways and means for Uncle Joe Cannon to distance those eastern selling platers.

While waiting for the cars tomorrow the patrons of the line can hold curbstone meetings and give thanks that "competition" won out in the street car fight—and won very far out!

It was an Irishman who said of the present street car schedules: "I pay a nickel to ride out and save a nickel and forty minutes by walking back!"

Billy Hearst is not to be outdone. He has bought a Washington newspaper and will at once establish competition with The Congressional Record.

The news that Teddy will continue his war on the trusts is equal to the information that Sampson was in the thick of the fight at Santiago.

The president's message has been polished off and is now ready for congress. And congress is compelled by law to listen to it.

What the street car company needs is a fresh drove of the old reliable breed of Dick Peters' mules. They could make schedule time.

You have heard of those "competitors" where the last one in takes the cake. We now have that sort between the trolley cars.

Mrs. Molineux is living in luxury in Sioux Falls until her divorce ripens. But who is furnishing the luxury now?

General Miles will encircle the globe. We have always suspected he had designs on the whole earth.

Uncle Joe Cannon says he never understood what a cinch meant until now.

The fourth warders know now how ungrateful is a tootaful corporation.

Spread of Tipping Evil.

Washington Post: "I am not surprised to hear that the waiter girls employed in the bargain beaneries in New York are beginning to kick for tips from patrons, allee same male waiters, on the principle that what's good for the gander is good for the goose," said a man with the noticing habit. "I'm not surprised, in fact, at any old new thing in the tipping line that comes to the surface lately. Right here in little old Washington I've got next to a couple of new ones in the tipping business within the past month.

"You know the black boot-polishers that are employed in the shoe stores to polish, free of charge, the shoes of people who buy their shoes in these stores. Well, these shiners want to be tipped a nickel for their work, and if they get onto it that you're not a tipper they'll slouch on their work. There are several sandwich-makers in cafes in this town who expect to be tipped when they frame you up a sandwich, and if you don't come to the front the meat between your bread is going to be mighty thin on your next visit for a sandwich."

The Hall Mark.

Judge: Penn—I don't see how you can call Van Meter a genius. His poems certainly do not show it.

Brushe—No; but the fact that he sells them does.

"JUST FROM GEORGIA."

A Little World Sng.

I.

The world, it ain't a paradise,
And all the saints are dead;
But the green turf's just beneath you,
And the blue sky's overhead;
And the poorest man is rich enough
To bless his daily bread.

II.

The world, it ain't a paradise,
But, as it rolls along,
It helps to light the pathway
Where the constellations throng;
And it's mighty close to heaven
With its sunlight and its song.

III.

It's just a dream of Paradise—
A glimpse of joys to be,
When these fetters, rough or rosy,
Shall be loosed from you and me;
When the lights shine from the harbor,
And the ships get home from sea.

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We feel like listening when Colonel Flammarion talks religion to us, fresh from one of his star-bright celestial excursions.

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Went Early.

"Any of your children ever been lynched?" asked the northern tourist of the old darky.

"No, suh," was the reply. "I only had two, en a alligator swallered 'em whilst dey wuz young en tender!"

Brother Dickey and the Doctors.

"I sees it in de papers," said Brother Dickey, "dat one er de congressmans fum Georgy 'fused ter let de New York doctors cut 'im up en ship 'im home by freight."

"You mean Colonel Livingston."

"Dat's his entitlements. En he's de wises' kunnel dat ever give a votin' nigger a chaw terbacker fer callin' 'im guv'ner in de big road! Dese doctors is ez quick ter draw a knife on you ez a nigger is ter flourish his razor at a strawberry festival. You see dat right han', don't you? Dey got two fingers off er dat. You see dat lef' foot, don't you? Dey collared de big toe on it one frosty mawnin', fo' you could say ''possum!' You see dat ear? Dey tuk de hearin' out er dat, kaze dey 'lowed de drum wuzn't beatin' loud 'nuff ter soun' fer roll-call! En ez fer my body ginrully, bless God ef dey ain't done waxinated me 'twell w'en de Smallpox is walkin' roun' town he think I done had 'im, kaze dey ain't room 'nuff fer 'im ter light! But I praise de Lawd fer one thing, en dat's my skull: Dey 'lowed I had de rattlin' er de brain, en dey'd have ter investigate; but dey wuzn't a cross-cut saw in de country could let daylight in dar! What dey already cut off er me is scattered so fur roun' de country, dat ef de Lawd don't blaze de way fer me on Resurrection Day, I'll never be able ter git myse'f tergedder!"

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A Song of Politics.

Politics! Politics! Politics!
Still it runs on like a river;
Once get a man in the office,
And it's "How shall I stay there forever!"

And the man on the outside
Is never in doubt,
If the dynamite works
You'll come thunderin' out!

Politics! Politics! Politics!
Still all the bands are a-playing:
A gray owl hoots over the chimney,
And—"What's that the country is saying?"

And the man on the outside
Is never in doubt,
As he lights the quick fuse,
You'll come thundering out!

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There's a lot of presidential timber lying around lose in Billville. It's only waiting for a hurricane to hit it and set the dry sticks dancing.

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Very few princes are sending their portraits over this way, set in diamonds. They prefer to patronize home pawnbrokers.

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The Old Growler.

The old growler looked more dejected than ever, the other morning, and some one said to him:

"You're not feeling well this morning?"

"No; I'm surveying in my mind the gloomy future of this sinful community."

"Anything awful in sight?"

"Yes. Just suppose an earthquake should come along, and topple over that twelve-story building, while you were standing near it, waiting three hours on a homeward-bound trolley car!"

Guide books to Atlanta are in great demand. Even the home-folks frequently leave town for three days.

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Old Days and New.

Good times in the old days,
When you and I were still
The dreamiest of lovers
Ever heard a whippoorwill!

But the new days shall not leave us
By the valley, or the hill;
And the dance old dreams shall weave us
If the girls are willin' still!

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"Lawd, don't sen' me mo'n one turkey fer Thanksgivin'—one'll be 'nuff fer me, Lawd: I won't need de yuther 'twel des one day 'fo' Chris'mus!"

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One of the practical fellows says the chaps who are always singing about "The Old Red Hills of Georgia" never had to make bricks out o' them at 40 cents a day

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A Billville View of It.

A fellow feels the sorrow—
The tempest an' the rain,
But he ain't got time fer railin'
When he's sidetracked by the train.
Catch another,—
Grievin' brother:
It'll come your way again!

"Some folkses religion is a mighty queer thing," says Brother Dickey. "Fer instance, it won't let 'em read de Sunday newspaper 'twel Monday mawnin'!"

Sometimes a candidate takes to the woods only in the hope that a hurricane will blow him home.

All Comfortable.

Now the big oak fires
Give us winter glories;
Poets twang their lyres,
And liars tell their stories.

Love in All Seasons.

Love is for the Springtime—
Flowers, and swallows fleet;
But then—a fine oak fire
Is tempting to his feet.
Apples mighty rosy,
And cider mighty sweet!

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Now that the Christmas magazines are out, the energetic, enterprising poet must get himself into a perspiration over the spring poems.

F. L. S.

APPROPRIATION IS GIVEN THE STATE UNIVERSITY

Appropriations Bill Is Made Special Order for Friday. Work of Legislative Committees--Interesting Gossip Around the State House.

THE general appropriations bill was reported to the house yesterday by Chairman Davis, and the request was made that it be fixed as the special order for Friday and that the house sit in the afternoon and until the bill is completed. The bill will be printed at once, and there is no doubt that the committee on rules will grant the request giving Friday and as much more time as is necessary to the consideration of the bill.

One feature of the appropriations bill, an important feature that was overlooked, is that it carries an appropriation of $22,500 for the state university. This appropriation is for the maintenance and support, and others funds now on hand for that purpose will be used by the trustees in constructing the buildings which are needed. The passage by the general assembly of this appropriation will mean the university will get a new $50,000 fire proof library, the gift of George Foster Peabody, of New York, and the work of constructing this building will be begun as soon as the appropriation is made a law. The committee considered it most important that the state should take advantage of this generous offer, and it is believed there is no doubt both branches of the general assembly will look upon it the same way.

All of the other appropriations were fully dealt with in The Constitution yesterday, excepting that of the civil establishment, which gets about $132,000. This amount goes toward paying the salaries of all state officials and the expenses of the various departments.

The appropriations bill carries no appropriations for state institutions except for maintenance. All special appropriations for buildings and others objects connected with state institutions have to be made by special bill or resolution.

Charter Bill Postponed.

NO further effort will be made at the present session of the general assembly toward getting through the bill providing a new charter for Atlanta. An understanding on this subject has been reached by which the matter will be postponed until the next session of the general assembly, whether that should be in June, as is now proposed, or next fall, as at present.

A meeting of the representatives from Fulton, Messrs. Slaton, Houston and Blackburn, including Senator Howell, of the thirty-fifth, was held yesterday, and an agreement to this effect was reached. A statement to this effect will be signed by these gentlemen and issued tomorrow.

This course has been decided on because of a lack of time. It would be a difficult matter for the representatives and senator to take up and review the work of the charter committee and of council within the limited time at their disposal, and with the rush of business incident to the close of the session. As the senate has unanimously passed the bill providing for the summer sessions, and it is believed it will go through and become a law, it is stated, the charter can be taken up at the June session, and then the local members will have had ample time to go thoroughly into the measure. Attention will also be called to several imperfections in the proposed measure which must be corrected, and it is considered best for all concerned that the matter be not rushed through at the present time.

To Apportion School Fund.

HON. BYRON BOWER, representative from Decatur county, introduced in the house yesterday a resolution which declares it to be the sense of the general assembly that the common school fund allotted to each county shall be apportioned by the county board among the whites and negroes in proportion to the amount of taxes paid by each race. The resolution was referred to the educational committee.

The county boards have the lawful power to so apportion the school fund, if they see fit, and Mr. Bower says it is the desire of his constituents to see the matter take this course. A similar resolution was introduced in the senate by Senator Harrell, of the eighth district, but was reported adversely by the committee on education.

A bill by Mr. Grice, of Pulaski, which proposes an amendment to the constitution so as to divide the school fund between the races in proportion to the amount of taxes paid by each, was considered yesterday afternoon by the house committee on constitutional amendments. A warm debate was indulged in over the question, but no final action was taken on the bill.

To Pay Pensions Quarterly.

MR. DAVIS, of Meriwether, introduced a bill in the house yesterday providing for the payment of pensions quarterly and making the ordinaries of the state disbursing agents for the pension fund. The measure is an interesting and important one, and has been strongly recommended by the commissioner of pensions.

It is believed there are several advantages in the measure. In the first place it will result in keeping in the state treasury over $400,000 during the months of July, August and September, and over $200,000 during October, November and December. This would do away with the state's necessity for borrowing. It is believed that the plan would also be better for the pensioners and would do them far more good than the present system of paying them in a jump sum.

Cann's Convict Bill.

THE bill of Mr. Cann, of Chatham, forbidding the leasing of convicts to be worked within 2 miles of the jurisdictional limits of any incorporated city or town in the state, was up for discussion before the penitentiary committee of the house yesterday afternoon.

The bill was discussed at some length by its author and Mr. Felder, of Bibb, both of whom expressed themselves strongly upon the subject. Mr. Felder was particularly strong on the subject, declaring that he did not care to see the state of Georgia prosper financially at the expense of its citizens and such would be the case so long as felons were allowed to take the place of free men.

Mr. Brinson, of Decatur, stated that he, too, was in favor of protecting free labor, but that he wanted the bill not only to apply to towns and cities, but also to the country districts, as he knew that the convicts had taken the places of good white citizens of Decatur county.

Charles S. Heard, president of the Mill Haven Company, of Savannah, at which the bill is directly aimed, was present and stated that his company would not displace a single white man and but a few itinerant negroes.

Mr. Cann requested that as the Felder penitentiary bill would be the special order for Friday, no action be taken by the committee at that time, and in deference to his wishes the matter went over to Friday afternoon, when it will be taken up for disposal.

Reported Unfavorably.

THE special judiciary committee of the house at its meeting yesterday afternoon passed on the following bills unfavorably:

By Mr. Fields, of Dooly—To require bond in criminal cases before warrants can issue.

By Mr. Howard, of Baldwin—To require ordinaries to approve all official bonds.

By Mr. Kent, of Johnson—To prevent the sale of deadly weapons.

By Mr. Thurman, of Walker—To repeal the general registration law.

By Mr. Rawles, of Effingham—To amend section 2321 of the code relative to the killing of cattle by railroad trains.

The following bill from the senate was reported favorably:

By Senator Sweat—To make penal the adulteration of spirits of turpentine

State Depositories.

COMPETITION in securing deposits of state funds is increasing every year, and the indications are it will not be many years before every county in Georgia is the home of one of the state depositories. It is said the state depository law contemplated that depositories should be designated only in the larger cities of the state, and that they should receive deposits of state funds from all surrounding counties.

Now, however, the law is being amended at every session of the legislature so as to include numerous cities and towns all over the state. Half a dozen or more depositories are named after every session of the legislature, and the state funds are being subjected to longer division each year. The legislature, however, seems inclined to limit depositories to one in each county, since bills providing for additional depositories in two or three counties have been reported adversely at this session.

The governor yesterday signed the bill by Mr. McCurry, of Hart, adding Hartwell to the list of depository cities. The Bank of Hartwell was then designated as a state depository.

State depositories give bond for $50,000 and pay the state 2 per cent on deposits of state funds.

Child Labor Bill Today.

THE house passed a resolution yesterday providing that the time allowed for the debate on the child labor bill should be apportioned between its supporters and opponents as may be agreed on by them. Each side will occupy about half the time.

The bill will be taken up at 9:30 o'clock this morning and the previous question will be called, under resolution, at 12 o'clock. Twenty minutes will be allowed the committee under the rules to urge the passage of the bill which it reported favorably, after the main question is put. The yea and nay vote will be taken, therefore, about 12:30 o'clock.

There is much interest in this measure, and the debate will doubtless be closely listened to. A minority report has been filed, signed by quite a number of members of the committee on education, and the fight is going to be a warm one. Mr. Houston, of Fulton, the author of the bill, is confident of its success in the house.

Afternoon Session.

The house will probably be holding afternoon sessions within less than a week. Mr. Fields, of Dooly, introduced a resolution yesterday which was referred to the committee on rules, providing that beginning with Friday the house hold two sessions daily, from 9 to 1 o'clock, and from 3 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon. It is likely that some such resolution will be adopted within the next few days.

It is likely there will be an afternoon session on Friday any way, this having been requested by the appropriations committee, so that the general appropriations bill may be considered and passed without delay. There are only twenty more days of the session left, and these include Thanksgiving day and two Sundays, so that there will be only seventeen working days. The time is short, therefore, for the transaction of much important business that yet remains to be done.

New Street Railroad Bill.

JUDGE AKIN, of Bartow, introduced in the house yesterday an important bill affecting railroads. This bill provides that under certain circumstances the tracks and rights of way of street and suburban railways may be condemned and used commonly and conjointly by other street and suburban railway companies properly chartered under the laws of the state.

This measure will be of passing interest in Atlanta, though it might have been a very live issue locally a year or two ago. To meet similar conditions in Atlanta a decision of the United States courts was required a couple of years ago when the Rapid Transit company was given the right to use certain tracks of the Power company on Peachtree and other streets.

The idea of the bill is to prevent streets and public roads from becoming encumbered with so many tracks that the passage of vehicles would be interfered with.

Governor's Messenger.

GOVERNOR TERRELL is in need of more clerical force for the proper transaction of his official business. There is a section of the code which authorizes the governor to appoint a messenger at a salary of $950 a year, and the appropriations committee was asked yesterday afternoon to make provision for that amount in the appropriations bill. The committee instructed the chairman to incorporate this amount in the bill. This appropriation will empower the governor to add another clerk with the title of messenger to the executive department.

Statuary Hall.

THE question of making an appropriation of $15,000 for the purpose of placing the statues of two distinguished Georgians in statuary hall in the national capitol at Washington, came up before the appropriations committee of the house yesterday.

Judge George Hillyer, chairman of the committee; Madison Bell, secretary; Messrs. Harden, of Chatham, and Hardman, of Jackson, appeared and made statements urging some action on the part of the committee looking to placing these statues in statuary hall. The Georgians selected by the commission to be thus honored are Dr. Crawford W. Long, the discoverer of anaesthesia, and Hon. Alexander H. Stephens, one of Georgia's greatest statesmen.

It was made apparent that such an appropriation could not constitutionally be put in the general appropriations bill, but would have to be provided for by special bill or resolution. Judge Hillyer suggested that all that would be necessary was a resolution authorizing the governor to contract for the two statues, the title to remain in the state, and that the appropriation would not have to be made for at least two years. The committee agreed this was the proper course. The resolution will be prepared by Judge Hillyer and introduced in the house by Messrs. Harden and Hardman, who are members of the statuary hall commission.

Wants State Reimbursed.

IN the senate yesterday Senator Perry, of the thirty-third district, introduced a joint resolution calling upon Georgia's representatives in congress to use their best efforts to have the state reimbursed for money paid out of the treasury fully sixty-four years ago to state troops cooperating with the government forces in rounding up the Cherokee Indians in north Georgia for transfer across the Mississippi under the provisions of the treaty.

It seems that the general assembly on December 26, 1837, passed an act authorizing the governor to order certain state troops to assist the government in effecting the transfer of the Indians, and, in accordance with that authority, Governor George R. Gilmer sent one company of seventy-seven men, under command of Captain Samuel Patterson, and another company of sixty-three men under command of Captain John E. Price, to aid in the work.

For this service the state, through Treasurer John B. Tripp, paid the first company $2,868 and the second company $3,056.54. The object of Senator Perry's resolution is to secure, if possible, a refund of this $5,924.54, which was spent by the state authorities in cooperating with the national government to have the Cherokees placed in their new lands in the west. The paper was ordered engrossed.

Reforming the Pension System.

COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS LINDSAY further elucidates his views of how the present pension system, instead of a new one, may be improved by legislation. He amplifies his statements on that line in these words:

"I do not think that the state should stop paying pensions to those who do not need the money and drop all of those who did not enlist from Georgia. I have no sympathy with the repeated suggestion that the disabled soldier should be dropped from the rolls because he has made something in a business way and is now able to live, for it was this class of ex-soldiers that a grateful people first undertook by law to manifest their appreciation of for the loss they sustained. The pension was granted to them alike for similar injuries and was not measured them by the dollars that either had. Because a few have happened to be successful in their business should be no reason now to withdraw their pension from them and continue to tax them to pay the pension to the unsuccessful ones similarly injured. To do that would be a discrimination against similar conditions, and would be a lowering of the standard fixed years ago for a patriotic sacrifice made on the field of duty. These crippled soldiers are no frauds; their injuries can be easily seen, and to drop them would not afford the relief claimed.

"I am not in favor, as quoted, of abolishing the whole pension system and building a new one on the ruins of the old on the so-called 'indigent basis.' That is a hobby and a delusion much talked of and written about. The present system can be easily perfected by statutory changes and a few amendments, which will answer all purposes. The state should furnish a roster of the Georgia soldiers so that all may know when a pension is granted that it is to a soldier. Provide for an official examination of the injuries and infirmities of all by a competent and worthy officer. This will bring about a purging of rolls and keep out other frauds and weed out the unworthy. Then fix for quarterly payments. A burdened treasury will be relieved and the soldier and widow will get the most that can be possibly obtained out of the pension fund."

FIGHT IS BEGUN OVER HUNTER WILL

Two Daughters Contest Will of the Late City Warden.

ORDINARY SUSTAINS THE WILL

Appeal Will Be Taken to the Superior Court.—It Is Claimed That Mrs. Hunter Used Undue Influence—Other News of the Courts.

A legal fight over the will of the late James K. Hunter, for many years city warden of Atlanta, was begun yesterday afternoon in the ordinary's court, Judge John R. Wilkinson allowing the will to be probated in solemn form.

The will is being contested by Mr. Hunter's two daughters, Mrs. Kate Galamore and Mrs. Florence Fillmore, they alleging that their stepmother, Mrs. Maggie O. Hunter, exercised undue influence over their father in the making of the will.

Mrs. Hunter was named as executrix and recently made application to have the will probated in solemn form. The two daughters then filed a caveat, setting forth their objections. The property involved in the will is a house and lot on Woodward avenue, this being willed to Mrs. Hunter.

The case was called yesterday afternoon and the evidence of Mrs. Hunter was heard. The caveators offered no evidence and Judge Wilkinson rendered a decision in favor of the will. They then gave notice that an appeal will be taken to the superior court. The case will there be fought out before a jury. Mrs. Hunter is represented by Attorneys Kontz & Austin, and the caveators are represented by Attorney George Gordon.

Says Cow Gored Him.

Alleging that he was gored by a vicious cow, belonging to James M. Henderson, Joe Jackson yesterday brought suit against Henderson for $500 damages.

The plaintiff states that on October 9 he was walking along Irwin street, at which time the cow was in a garden, which abuts the street. He alleges that at the request of the owner of the garden he attempted to drive out the cow, when the animal turned and gored him in the left side, on the thigh and groin, and hurled him to the ground. It is further claimed that the hoof of the cow cut Jackson on the left side of the forehead and under the left eye; also, that his nervous system was seriously shocked and impaired.

It is charged that the defendant was negligent in allowing a vicious and dangerous animal to run at large within the city limits in violation of a city ordinance. The suit was filed by Attorneys S. J. Dodson and Felder & Rountree.

Evidence Being Heard.

The hearing of evidence is still in progress in the trial of the case of Marion Lee against the Central of Georgia Railway Company for $20,000 damages. The case is being heard before Judge A. E. Calhoun, in the second division of the city court.

The defense finished its evidence yesterday and the plaintiff began the introduction of testimony in rebuttal. It may be that the hearing of evidence from both sides will be concluded today.

Lee is suing for the loss of a leg. He claims that he was run over by a Central road freight engine at the Peters street crossing last year.

Transfers of Property.

The following transfers of property were filed yesterday with Deputy Clerk Alex Dittler, of the superior court

John F. Green to W. B. Spielberger, lot corner of Kennedy and Strong streets, 50 by 81 1-2, $360.

The Mutual Benefit Building Association to George S. May, lot on Houston street, 48 feet 8 inches by 153, $1,265.

George S. May to R. C. Bosche, same property, $1,750.

Mortgage—R. C. Bosche to Atlanta Banking and Savings Company, same property, $826.

Quit Claim Deed—Mrs. Ida Adams to Mrs. Mary E. Martin, lot corner of Holcombe and Bayard streets, 230 by 130, $5.

Quit Claim Deed—W. W. Herren and W. F. Little to Mrs. Mary E. Martin, lot in land lot 132, 110 by 270, $5.

ITTLE WORK DONE IN HOUSE

Slim Attendance Necessitates Tabling of Bills.

Blackburn's Police Patrol Bill and Resolution To Give School for Deaf a New Dormitory Both Go on the Table—Four Bills Passed.

The attendance on the house has begun to dwindle somewhat. In fact, there were so many vacant chairs yesterday that every bill to which there was any opposition whatever was tabled on motion of its author, for fear that it could not get a constitutional majority.

"On account of the small attendance in the house, I move that the bill be tabled," was the common request whenever an objection was offered to any measure.

The trouble is that quite a number of members are away visiting state institutions. Some are away visiting the state convict camps, while others are at the state sanitarium and other institutions. This has been the case for several days lately, and as a result the "table" is full of bills.

The first measure to find its way to the table yesterday was the police patrol bill by Mr. Blackburn, of Fulton. There was a brief debate, short speeches being made for and against the bill, when Mr. Blackburn said: "Mr. Speaker, on account of the thin house," etc., "I move the bill be tabled." His request was granted.

The next important measure to meet the same fate was the bill appropriating $11,500 for the purpose of building a new dormitory at the Georgia School for the Deaf, at Cave Springs. This bill was taken up in committee of the whole, where some little opposition developed, and efforts were made by Mr. Bower, of Decatur, and others to reduce the amount to $7,500. Mr. Hawes, of Elbert, the author of the bill, said $7,500 would be absolutely useless to the school, as the building could not be constructed for that amount. Mr. Bowers' effort to amend the bill so as to make the institution free only to those who are unable to pay for their tuition and maintenance, was also defeated.

The committee of the whole made a favorable report on the measure, and it was about to go on its passage when, on motion of the author, it was tabled. There is no doubt of the great need for a dormitory at this institution, and the appropriation is almost sure to go through.

A bill by Mr. Richardson, of Houston, to amend section 221 of the code, was then read a third time.

"On account of the small attendance," etc., said Mr. Richardson, and the bill was immediately tabled.

Police Patrol Bill Tabled.

When Mr. Blackburn's bill to establish a police patrol of a captain and six patrolmen in each militia district in the state came up as the special order, Mr. Blackburn took the floor and said it had probably had a more thorough discussion than any other measure before the committee which considered it. He said he believed the passage of such a bill as this is absolutely essential to the state.

"This protection is needed in our rural districts," Mr. Blackburn declared, "and it is our duty to give it to them. Let us rid our state of vagrants."

Mr. Blackburn said the bill was designed to give these officers the power to arrest without warrant. This, he believed, would correct a present evil because it would make it possible to take up all vagrants and idle persons without delay, and these constitute the class from which most criminals spring.

Fulton county wanted such a bill passed, Mr. Blackburn said, and the grand jury had so recommended.

Mr. Evans, of Washington, strongly approved the bill. The vagrant, he declared, is one of the greatest curses of Georgia. This bill is designed to get rid of a class that is responsible for most of the crimes committed in the country districts.

Mr. Hall, of Bibb, asked if the bill by Mr. Flynt, of Spalding, recently passed by the house, which provides for county inspectors who shall be policemen, did not meet the case.

"No, it does not," Mr. Evans declared, "and for two reasons. It doesn't put policemen in each militia district and it doesn't make their incomes dependent on their diligence as does this bill."

"If you put them on the fee system," said Mr. Hall, "you'll clean out every farm in Georgia."

"This bill," said Mr. Hall, "might well be entitled a bill to raise hell in Georgia. Talk about your grand juries, I don't care what they do, you'll have a class of people for these bob-tail police who'll clean out every farm and saw mill in the state. They'll get a few niggers in a crap game, and then the whole farm will be carried off as witnessses."

Mr. Hall moved that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Blackburn expressed great surprise that Mr. Hall should make such a motion. He opposed any such course and urged the house to vote it down. When he had concluded, Mr. Hall withdrew his motion, and the bill was thus allowed to go to a vote on its merits.

Mr. Fields, of Dooly, spoke in favor of the bill, saying it was a measure of great importance to his section.

"I am opposed to any measure which proposes to put a kuklux upon the state of Georgia," declared Mr. McCurry, of Hart. He advocated the amendment offered by himself making the bill applicable only to counties of 75,000 or more, which would make it wholly local to Fulton county.

Mr. Blackburn, seeing there was considerable opposition to the bill, and the attendance in the house being small, moved that it be tabled. The house voted to sustain his motion, and it took this course.

Bills Passed by the House.

The bills passed by the house were as follows:

By Mr. Dunbar of Richmond—To require any person seeking a writ of certiorari to correct the judgment of recorders' courts to give bond under certain conditions.

By Mr. Hayes of Macon—To amend section 982 of the code so as to add Montezuma, in Macon county, to the list of places in which state depositories may be designated by the governor.

By Mr. Underwood of White—To amend section 187 of the code, relating to embezzlement of public funds, records, etc.

By Mr. Underwood of White—To amend section 642 of the code so as to make the father of a natural child pay all expenses incident to the birth and care of such child.

All the other general bills that came up for action during the session were tabled because of the small attendance. Several measures came up on which there were warm debates, but the debate was usually cut short by the motion to table.

New Bills in the House.

The following new bills were introduced in the house:

By Messrs. Howard and Hicks, of Laurens—To repeal an act establishing the city court of Dublin.

By Mr. Butts of Glynn—To amend the act establishing the city court of Brunswick.

By Messrs. Hicks and Howard of Laurens—To incorporate the town of Dudley, in Laurens county.

By Mr. Howard of Laurens—To amend section 813 of the state code.

By Mr. Hicks of Laurens—To create a city court of Dublin.

By Mr. Peyton of Habersham—To repeal an act establishing the city court of Clarksville.

By Mr. Howard of Baldwin—To provide for the establishment of a dispensary in Milledgeville, Baldwin county.

By Mr. Davis of Meriwether—To provide for the disbursement of pensions in Georgia through the ordinaries of the state.

By Mr. Akin of Bartow—To authorize street and suburban railroad companies, incorporated under the laws of this state, under certain circumstances, to condemn a right to the common use and occupancy of the tracks and of the right of way of other street and suburban railway companies.

By Mr. Connor of Bartow—To protect fish in the streams and other water courses in Bartow county.

By Mr. Shackelford of Clarke—To amend an act approved August 31, 1891, establishing a dispensary in Athens, in the county of Clarke.

TO GRANT POWER TO CONDEMN TRACKS

Bill Is Introduced To Authorize Joint Use of Rails.

APPOINTMENT IS CONFIRMED

Upper House, in Executive Session, Ratifies Selection of Hon. Warner Hill for State Railroad Commissioner in Judge Atkinson's Place.

During the session of the senate yesterday one bill—a local house measure—was passed, while four new bills and a joint resolution were introduced for a first reading.

The bill which passed was that by Mr. Wise, of Fayette, which provides for the payment of fees to the sheriff and clerk of the superior court of Fayette county. There was no opposition to the measure and it received a unanimous vote.

The resolution introduced was by Senator Perry, of the thirty-third, and provided that the state's representatives in congress be urged to secure a refund of money paid by Georgia to state troops in 1838 for cooperation with the government soldiers in effecting the transfer of the Cherokee Indians across the Mississippi river.

For Joint Use of Tracks.

An interesting measure was that by the same senator to authorize street and suburban railway companies to condemn, under certain circumstances, a right to the common use of the tracks of other street and suburban railway companies. Senator Lee, of the forty-fourth, also introduced a bill to have the attorney general to perform, without extra compensation, the duties formerly devolving upon the special attorney for the state road.

The railroad committee submitted a favorable report on the bill by Senator Comas, of the third, to authorize the state railroad commission to require, in its discretion, railroads to construct and maintain side tracks and make physical connections with other lines so as to better serve those patrons who may be dependent on the road for transportation facilities.

The bill by Senator Merritt, of the twentieth, to reorganize the military forces of the state, was read a second time and was re-referred to the committee on military affairs, of which Senator Merritt is chairman.

In executive session the senate confirmed the appointment, by the governor, of Hon. Warner Hill, of Meriwether county, as state railroad commissioner to succeed Judge Spencer R. Atkinson at the expiration of his term of office. The appointment was for the term of six years, beginning October 15, 1903.

A number of house bills were read for a first and second time.

New Bills Introduced.

The following new bills were read for the first time and were referred to appropriate committees:

By Senator Perry of the Thirty-third—To authorize street and suburban railway companies, incorporated under the laws of this state, under certain circumstances, to condemn a right to the common use and occupancy of the tracks, and of the right of way, of other street and suburban railway companies.

By Senator Lee of the Forty-fourth—To authorize the governor to require the attorney general of the state to perform, without compensation, all duties now incumbent on the special attorney for the Western and Atlantic railroad.

By Senator Lee of the Forty-fourth (by request)—To protect the officers and employees of the Georgia penitentiary at the various camps throughout the state.

By Senator Park of the thirty-seventh—To amend section 942 of the penal code of 1895, relating to the call of the criminal dockets.

EMMET HOWARD HAS RESIGNED

For Years the Manager of Western Union at Memphis.

Memphis, Tenn., November 25.—Emmet Howard, for twenty-one years manager of the Western Union Telegraph Company's offices in this city, has resigned, and Phil G. Kern, of Louisville, has been appointed to succeed him.

Emmet Howard is widely known in telegraph circles. When thirteen years of age he was a telegraph operator in the Confederate army. His war recard covers a period of hardships and performances which were not exceeded by that of the soldier who carried arms.

His service with the Western Union Company has been continuous since the close of the war. He served as operator at Humbolt, Tenn., as manager at Columbia, S. C., as contracting agent at Nashville, and then came to Memphis in 1881 as manager.

Mr. Howard will engage in a business venture which has been contemplated for some time past.

TAX RATE LIMIT HAS BEEN FIXED

Ways and Means Committee Lowers Former Rate.

General Tax Bill, with the Franchise Feature, Was Completed at a Meeting Yesterday, and Will Be Submitted to the House Today.

The ways and means committee of the house, of which Mr. Reid, of Campbell, is chairman, yesterday fixed the limit of the tax rate for 1903 at 5 mills. This is exclusive of the rate for raising $100,000 for the sinking fund, which is .23 mills. Itemized, the limit of the tax rate for next year is 1.82 mills for the common school fund, and 3.18 mills for the general fund. This limit, over which the governor and comptroller general, in fixing the rate cannot go, is .2 mills below that fixed for last year.

During the meeting the committee completed the general tax bill and the chairman was instructed to submit it to the house today with the request that 200 copies be printed for the use of the members. The bill will come up for consideration by the house as early as practicable and the indications are that it will be disposed of with all possible speed. A feature of the measure is the section which subjects franchises to the same tax as that applied to other property of companies operating under such grants.

Franchise Tax Feature.

This amendment was offered by Mr. Candler, of DeKalb, and is as follows:

"Every 'special franchise' owned, used, enjoyed or held in this state by any person or persons, joint stock association, copartnership, corporation or company is hereby declared to be property subject to ad valorem taxation and shall be returned for taxation, state, county and municipal as personal property to the proper authorities. The term 'special franchise' as used in this act, shall include every right and privilege granted to any person or persons, joint stock association, copartnership, corporation or company, by the state or its authority or by any county officer or officers, or by any municipality or municipal authorities, for the exercise of the power of eminent domain or for the use of any public highway or street or any part thereof, either above or on or below the surface, within the state of Georgia. And every special right granted by charter, resolution, by law, statue or otherwise for the exercise of any public service, such as the construction and operation of railroads of any kind, for the conveying or transporting of passengers or freights, the construction or operation or any plant or plants for the distribution and sale of gas, water, electric light or power, steam heat, refrigerated air or other substances or elements by means of wires, pipes or conduits made or laid or constructed, on, under or above or along any public street, alley or highway, or for the construction or operation of any telegraph or telephone lines on, under or above or along any public street, alley or highway, and belonging to the people of the state or any political division thereof; all rights and privileges to construct, maintain or operate toll roads or toll bridges or toll ferries, and every other like public function dependent upon the grant of public powers or privileges, or for the use or enjoyment of any public property or utility."

One change made by the committee in the general tax act at the meeting yesterday was to require a tax of $200 a year of all manufacturers of sirups sold to soda water fountains. This affects manufacturers in the state. An additional stipulation was that bottling works and wholesale dealers in bottled soft beverages should pay a yearly tax of $50 each.

To Tax Slot Machines.

Another change was to require a yearly tax of $2.50 each on slot machines that are loaded with articles of food, while other slot machines will be taxed $5 each, except that those persons operating such machines will not have to pay a tax in excess of $50 a year.

The committee also made a favorable report on the bill by Mr. Reid, of Campbell, to fix a charter tax of one-twentieth of 1 per cent of the capital stock of all companies chartered by the state hereafter. This is known as an organization tax, and will not affect any existing corporation, but only those which may be chartered in the future after the bill becomes a law should it be passed by the general assembly.

HELD ANNUAL MEETING.

Chamber of Commerce Begins New Year with Renewed Energy.

At the annual meeting of the chamber of commerce held yesterday morning J. K. Orr, J. P. Stevens and J. Frank Beck made a strong plea for more enthusiasm among the members and for an increased membership.

In order to produce these results it was decided to hold a big banquet in the latter part of January at the new Piedmont hotel, at which efforts will be made to bring many new members into the chamber.

At the meeting yesterday morning President J. K. Orr submitted his annual report. Among other things Mr. Orr called attention to the many conventions which had been brought to Atlanta through the efforts of the chamber. He reviewed the past work of the chamber and referred to the work which is contemplated for the future.

Secretary Walter G. Cooper also submitted his annual report. This report shows the chamber to be out of debt and on a sound financial basis.

Both reports were unanimously adopted.

Attention was called to the many delinquents who have failed to pay their dues and it developed that there are a number of prominent business men in Atlanta who have allowed their dues to remain in arrears for two or three years.

It was decided to appoint committees of three to wait upon each of the delinquents and make a personal appeal for payment of dues.

The members of the chamber at yesterday's meeting all pledged themselves to do everything possible to secure new members for the chamber. Mr. Stevens stated that each member should be able to induce five of his friends to join, which would swell the membership role to monumental proportions.

The annual election of officers was also held yesterday. The offices to be filled were second and third vice presidencies and six directors were to be chosen.

Second Vice President R. F. Maddox and Third Vice President J. Frank Beck were reelected, as were Directors J. Wylie Pope, J. P. Stevens, T. D. Meador, D. O. Dougherty, R. F. Shedden and M. Rich. All were chosen without opposition.

Territorial Committee Goes East.

Kansas City, November 25.—The senatorial committee on territories, which has been investigating conditions in Oklahoma and Indian territories and in Arizona and New Mexico, passed through Kansas City today en route east. At Chicago the committee will disband, Senators Beveridge, Dillingham and Burnham going to their homes and Senator Heitfeld continuing on to Washington.

WALKER WHITE APPOINTED

Well-Known Educator Named as Assistant School Commissioner.

BEGINS HIS DUTIES JANUARY 1

Was Selected by Commissioner-Elect Merritt for the Important Position—Native of Monroe.

Professor Walker White, of Forsyth, Monroe county, has just been named by State School Commissioner-elect W. B. Merritt as his assistant, and will assume his duties with Professor Merritt on January 1 next.

PROF. WALKER WHITE.

Professor White is a native of Monroe county and is 27 years of age.

He graduated at the University of Georgia in 1897 and subsequently graduated from the state normal college at Athens. He taught school one year in Burke county from which place he came to Fulton county, serving one year as principal of Battle Hill school. In 1899 he became principal of the night school of the Atlanta system and was the next year made a teacher of the Boys' High school, which position he resigned in 1901.

As a teacher Mr. White made a distinct success in every position he has held. He is a skilled accountant, having taught the commercial course in the Atlanta High school. His attainments as a scholar and business man make his appointment a most fitting one. Professor Merritt and the school department are being congratulated upon securing the services of Mr. White, and his friends all over Georgia will rejoice in his promotion.

TO OBSERVE THANKSGIVING.

Principal Business Houses of Atlanta Will Not Open for Business.

All of the large department and colthing stores, and the majority of the business houses throughout the city, will be closed tomorrow, Thanksgiving day. Most of the stores will remain closed all day long, while some will keep open until noon.

It is only within recent years that the merchants of Atlanta have formed the custom of closing their stores on Thanksgiving day, and it was previously the rule to keep open for the full business day. In Atlanta at the present time, however, Thanksgiving is celebrated with all of the form and custom of the northern and eastern cities.

The following are among the Atlanta merchants who have announced that they will not open their stores tomorrow:

George Muse Clothing Company, Eiseman Bros., Hirsch Bros., M. R. Emmons & Co., Essig Bros., Eiseman & Weil, Cloud & Herring, Chamberlin-Johnson-DuBose, Keely Company, Davison-Paxon-Stokes, M. Rich & Bros., Hayes & Wellborn, Anderson Hardware Company, King Hardware Company, Beck & Gregg Hardware Company, Walker & Reynolds Hardware Company, Hightower & Kirkpatrick, W. M. Spratling, J. M. Alexander & Co., and Dickens & Davidson.

The following named wholesale grain dealers will close their places of business all day Thanksgiving: J. D. Frazier & Co., W. I. Duncan & Co., A. P. Morgan Grain Company, City Grain and Feed Company, A. C. Woolley & Co., F. P. H. Akers.

NEGRO PAYS DEATH PENALTY.

Calvin Elliott Executed at Lincolnton, N. C., for Assault.

Lincolnton, N. C., November 25.—(Special.)—Calvin Elliott, a negro, was hanged here today for assaulting Mrs. Caleb Brown, near here about two months since.

When the crime was committed several unsuccessful attempts were made to lynch the negro, but after a promise of a speedy trial the citizens submitted to the law taking its course. A special session of court was called and the negro was found guilty as charged. The death sentence was pronounced, which culminated in his execution today.

VALUES EXCESSIVE SAY ATTORNEYS

Wish To Scale Price of Postoffice Site $128,500.

APPEALS TO ALL REPORTS

Last Appeal Filed Yesterday—Whole Matter Will Come Up in United States Court — Attorneys Base Claims on Tax Returns of Owners.

United States District Attorney Ed A. Angier yesterday filed an appeal to the report of the assessors who valued the property owned by Mrs. Mary Grant Dickson, which is desired by the government as a part of the site for the proposed new custom house.

The appeal claims that the report of the assessors who valued the property at $86,000 is $58,000 too much, and asks that an issue be made between the United States and the owner of the land as to its real value, and that this issue be submitted to a jury in the United States court.

The filing of this appeal completes the list, as appeals have already been filed to the reports of the assessors who valued the other pieces of property and the leasehold interest of J. W. Blosser & Son.

According to the appeals the true value of the land desired by the government is only $83,100. This is $128,500 less than the aggregate of the values set by the assessors, which amounted to $211,600. This sum is $86,900 less than the amount appropriated by the government for the purchase of the property—$170,000—whereas the aggregate of the values set by the assessors ran above the appropriation $41,600.

The amounts claimed as the value of the different pieces of property by the United States attorneys are as follows:

Property of Will and Fred Koch..	$33,600
Property of the Glenn estate......	13,000
Property of J. W. English et al.....	6,000
Leasehold interest of J. W. Blosser & Son........................	2,500
Property of Mrs. Sarah Grant Dickson	28,000
Total	$83,100

The values set by the appraisers are:

Property of Will and Fred Koch..	$58,600
Property of the Glenn estate.......	34,000
Property of J. W. English et al....	25,000
Leasehold interest of J. W. Blosser & Son........................	8,000
Property of Mrs. Sarah Grant Dickson	86,000
Total........................	$211,600

In each case Judge Newman has granted the petition of the government attorneys for a jury trial, and the matter will come up in the district court at an early date.

An interesting fact in connection with the matter is that it is understood that the United States attorneys have been guided in forming their estimates of the value of the property by the tax returns of the several owners.

RAILWAY NOTES.

Davis To Succeed Heyward.

De Vries Davis has been appointed city passenger and ticket agent for the Southern, succeeding J. B. Heyward, who has resigned to accept the position of district passenger agent for the West Point Route. The appointment will be effective December 1.

Mr. Davis is a competent railroad man and by his experience is peculiarly fitted for the position to which he has been appointed. He is very popular among his associates in this city and with the traveling railroad men who visit Atlanta.

Mr. Davis entered the railroad service with the Ohio extension of the Norfolk and Western in 1890. In 1892 he came to Atlanta, accepting a position with the old East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia. After the merger of this line into the Southern system in 1895, Mr. Davis went to Macon as depot ticket agent for the Southern. This position he retained until June, 1898, when he came to Atlanta and entered the city passenger and ticket agent's office. Since that time he has been associated with this office and is thoroughly acquainted with everything connected with it.

Gordon Newman, who has been acting as a ticket seller in the office, has resigned to enter business at Salt Lake City. H. V. Walker, formerly assistant city passenger and ticket agent at Columbia, and more recently at Augusta, for the Southern, will succeed Mr. Davis. Mr. Newman will be succeeded by John S. Lane, of Darien, at present general manager of the Darien and Western.

Southern Express To Enter Cuba.

The Southern Express Company, which has maintained an office in Havana since January, 1899, has determined to begin a local business in the island, and at an early date will establish offices at every important city in the island reached either by rail or water lines.

The determination to enter Cuba was made after an investigation of the situation in the island by Superintendent Hockaday. In addition to its express service throughout the island, the company will give a transfer system in Havana. The company will do a money order business as well as a transfer business.

Spikes and Cinders.

W. N. Cox, formerly assistant master mechanic for the West Point route at Montgomery, has been appointed acting superintendent, with headquarters in the Alabama capital. The West Point route has not had a superintendent for the last two years.

H. T. Shanks, having resigned the position of car accountant for the West Point Route, with headquarters at Montgomery, announcement is made of the fact that in the future the duties of that position will be performed by A. G. Edwards, chief train dispatcher at Montgomery.

Thomas L. Hackett, of Detroit, soliciting freight and passenger agent for the Grand Rapids, Grand Haven and Muskegan Rapid Transit Company, is in Atlanta.

The railroad commission of South Carolina has ordered the Seaboard Air Line to enter the union passenger station at Columbia. The Seaboard has only recently purchased a site for a depot of its own, and it is said that it will cost quite a large sum for the Seaboard to so adjust its tracks as to enter the union station.

Charles A. Forrest, the newly appointed traveling freight agent for the Rock Island, has arrived from Dallas, Tex., to take up the duties of his position in this city.

The Santa Fe has invited all its passenger and freight representatives to gather at Albuquerque on December 8. Southern Freight and Passenger Agent Garrett A. Dobbin will leave on December 4 to attend the meeting.

Colonel Z. P. Smith, of Richmond, division passenger agent for the Seaboard Air Line, accompanied the Bijou Comedy Company to this city.

W. J. Rosser, traveling freight agent for the Burlington, left Monday for Villca, Ia., his old home, to spend Thanksgiving.

High-grade chocolates and bonbons at retail, fresh daily, 38 Wall st. and 23 Whitehall. Geo. E. Johnson and Chas. L. Newman, manufacturers.

STOCK TO BUY THE "ELLEN N."

Large Issue Is Contemplated by the Atlantic Coast Line.

Baltimore, November 25.—The Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company is considering the issue of $9,260,000 of new stock. This is in connection with the financing of the purchase of control of the Louisville & Nashville railroad. The proposed issue is to supply the $10,000,000 cash which is required as partial payment for this purchase.

Such an issue means 92,600 shares of the par value of $100 a share. It is contemplated to sell this stock at $125 a share, and at this price it would yield the company $11,575,000 in cash, so that after paying the $10,000,000 the company would add $1,575,000 in cash to its surplus.

The present stockholders of the company will be given the first chance to take this stock. An underwriting syndicate will take what they do not. The privilege would be to subscribe to the amount of forty per cent of their holdings.

CZAR AND CZARINA BOTH WELL.

So Tower Says, Who Recently Lunched with Them.

Vienna, November 25. — Ambassador Charlemagne Tower has arrived here from Livadia, where he was received in farewell audience by the czar. He said the czar and czarina are both enjoying the best possible health.

Mr. and Mrs. Tower took lunch informally with their majesties, no other guests being present. Both the czar and czarna talked freely and with animation on American affairs. The ambassador says he found the czarina entirely recovered from her recent indisposition, and she is now looking well.

Mr. and Mrs. Tower had to drive in a carriage from Sebastapool to the royal residence at Valta, a distance of forty miles, as no railroad approaches the czar's secluded country home. After bidding goodby to the emperor and empress, they traveled west across Russia to the Austrian frontier, finding everywhere, says Mr. Tower, evidence of peace and order."

The ambassador and Mrs. Tower will proceed tomorrow to Paris for a week's stay, and then will go to Berlin.

For Holiday Giving.

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On the Social Realm

Mrs. Cosgrove's Luncheon.

MRS. W. L. COSGROVE will be the hostess at a large and beautiful luncheon to be given today at 2 o'clock at her home on Peachtree.

There will be present over a hundred guests, including the officers and their wives of Fort McPherson.

Mrs. Cosgrove's home, which is one of the most attractive in the city and particularly well arranged for entertaining, will present a lovely appearance with its decorations of cut flowers and ferns.

The living room, which runs the entire length of the house, will be filled with pink roses and in the dining room American Beauty roses will be used.

Coffee will be served by Mrs. William Perrin Nicolson and the punch bowl will be presided over by Mrs. Clarance Angier and Mrs. William Reynolds.

Music will add to the pleasure of the occasion, a band being stationed on the second floor.

Those who will assist in receiving the guests are Mrs. C. Kinloch Nelson, Mrs. Milton Dargan, Mrs. T. A. Hammond, Mrs. Edward C. Peters, Mrs. Nicolson, Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. George Crandall, Mrs. James Osgood Wynne and Mrs. Francis Hawkins.

Nine O'Clock German.

A PLEASANT social event of today will be the 9 o'clock german which will be danced this evening in the ball room of the Kimball.

The german, which will begin promptly at 9:30 o'clock, will be led by Mr. Joe Brown Connally and Miss Florsnce Jackson. At 12 o'clock an elaborate supper will be served.

The ball room will be beautifully decorated with chrysanthemums, palms and smilax, the smilax being festooned with graceful effect over the mirrors that line the sides of the room.

There will be present about 200 guests and the occasion will be a brilliant and beautiful one.

Among the chaperons will be Mrs. Nellie Peters Black, Mrs. John Fitten, Mrs. Joseph Thompson, Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Connally, Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Calhoun, Mr. and Mrs. George Dexter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stewart, Judge and Mrs. Nash Broyles and Dr. W. E. Wilmerding.

Miss Chamberlin's Luncheon.

THE luncheon at which Miss Eva Chamberlin entertained yesterday at the Piedmont Driving Club was a compliment to Mrs. Harry Raymond, of New York, and one of the most beautiful entertainments of the season. The party included besides the hostess and guest of honor Mrs. J. K. Ottley, Mrs. Edward Brown, Mrs. Fannie Lamar Rankin, Mrs. William Bailey Thomas, Mrs. Joseph Thompson, Mrs. George Muse, Mrs. Alice Muse Thomas, Mrs. W. E. Foster, Mrs. Harvey Johnson, Mrs. J. O. Wynn, Mrs. George Dexter, Mrs. Farley, Mrs. Clifford Anderson, Mrs. Edward Chamberlin, Mrs. Victor Smith, Miss Welch, Miss Mitchell and Miss Brown.

An orchestra rendered an artistic musical programme during the luncheon, and the bright and sparkling little toasts proposed after the luncheon distinguished a number of the guests as adept at the art of after dinner speakers as the famous New York senator and statesman.

Miss Chamberlin wore a becoming toilet of red silk, trimmed in black lace. Mrs. Raymond's smart toilet was of gen d'arme blue cloth with trimmings of Irish lace, her hat of the panne lace trimmed in lace and a white plume. Miss Mitchell's Parisian toilet was a parma violet cloth, elaborately applied in lace. Mrs. Edward Chamberlin wore pale gray cloth with steele trimmings, and a picture hat in crimson poppies.

Notably attractive among the guests was Mrs. Fannie Lamar Rankin in a reception gown of royal blue cloth, with corsage trimmings of lace.

Governor to Entertain.

GOVERNOR AND MRS. TERRELL will open the mansion Thursday evening in honor of the faculty and students of the University of Georgia, who will be in attendance upon the Georgia-Auburn football game.

The mansion will be elaborately decorated in the university colors and the guests will include a number of the gentlemen belonging to and interested in the Auburn party.

Mrs. Terrell will have in the receiving line with her Mrs. Loulie M. Gordon and Mrs. C. A. Snelling, of Athens. Assisting in the entertainment of the guests will be Mrs. Burrell Pope, Mrs. John Hughes, Miss Georgia Wilkins, Miss Francis Johnson, Miss Julia McWhorter, Miss Linda Gordon and Miss Camilla McWhorter.

Presiding at the punch bowl will be Miss Louise Baird, Miss Claude Patterson and Miss Elise Landrum.

The occasion will be a notably brilliant one and a gracious compliment from the chief executive and his charming wife to the students of the university.

Jones-Pritchard.

THE marriage of Miss Ruby Cornelia Jones, of this city, to Mr. William Latham Pritchard, of Savannah, Ga., will occur today at noon at the Central Presbyterian church, Dr. Theron H. Rice, the pastor, officiating.

The following will be the attendants: Miss Mary Dunwody Jones, sister of the bride, maid of honor; Mr. Tattnall Roland Pritcharo, brother of the groom, best man; Miss Mary Josephine Pritchard, sister of the groom, bridesmaid; Mr. J. Logan Jones, brother of the bride, groomsman. The ushers will be Captain Robert M. Clayton and Mr. John Ashley Jones, brother of the bride. The bride will enter with her father, Major Dunwoody Jones, and be given away by him.

The bride will be gowned in a beautiful visiting costume of biscuit colored voile applied in medallions of cream lace, with a white picture hat, and will carry a shower bouquet of bride roses. The maid of honor's costume will be a dress of shirred cream wool with a picture hat of black. She will carry white chrysanthemums. The toilet of the bridesmaid will consist of shirred cream wool with yellow ribbons and black picture hat, and her bouquet will be yellow chrysanthemums.

The bridal party will be complete with two little ribbon girls, daintily attired in white costumes—Misses Edna Pugh, of Atlanta, and Emma Eve Gardner, of Marietta.

In this marriage the descendants of two of the oldest families of Georgia will be united. Both are of revolutionary stock and their ancestors have been prominent in the affairs of the nation, both civil and military, from its colonial days to the present time. The bride is the daughter of Major Dunwody Jones and the granddaughter of the late Rev. John Jones, D.D., who was for years the chaplain of the state senate. The groom is the son of Captain George Barnard Pritchard, of Savannah, representing an old Chatham county and South Carolina family.

Mr. Pritchard, the groom, is one of Savannah's able young business men, who ranks high in the commercial affairs of that city. He is the manager of the Dun mercantile agency and has bright prospects.

The couple begin their wedded life under happy auspices and will carry with them to their future home in Savannah the well wishes of hosts of friends throughout the entire state.

Orphans in Show Window.

AN interesting and appealing picture will be seen in the big show window of Chamberlin-Johnson-DuBose Co. today when twenty little children from that commendable institution, the Home for the Friendless, will be seated there.

These little folks represent one hundred and fourteen children at present being cared for in the home, and from their innocent baby faces will go forth an appeal for the home, there being many pressing needs, with which the good women in charge meet with difficulty. The season of Thanksgiving is the one of all others when the more fortunate may express their gratitude for blessings received by helping the less fortunate, especially the helples little children cared for in the Home for the Friendless and similar institutions. Donations of all kinds will be gratefully received, whether food, clothing or money, and may be sent to the home, corner Highland avenue and Randolph street, or to Mrs. Ed McBurney, 65 West Peachtree.

Mrs. Houston's Card Party.

MRS. CLARENCE HOUSTON was the cordial hostess at a beautiful card party given yesterday afternoon at her home on West Peachtree.

Mrs. Houston's attractive home was prettily decorated with quantities of chrysanthemums and smilax and about sixty guests enjoyed the charming hospitality of this occasion. Six-handed euchre was played and at the close of the game a delicious luncheon was served. The first prize, a hand-painted cake plate, was won by Mrs. Frank Dykes; the second, a hat pin, by Mrs. William Jackson, and the consolation, which was a lace handkerchief, was drawn by Mrs. Robert Scott.

Mrs. Houston received her guests in a handsome gown of blue cloth trimmed in cream lace.

The invited guests were Mesdames S. W. Foster, H. H. Meadows, J. T. Tucker, Will Hawkins, Frank Kern, L. P. DeGroot, Clarence Everett, W. M. Zirkle, T. B. French, W. F. Dykes, Mrs. Law, of Washington, D. C.; D. N. McCullough, Clifford Wilson, W. C. Holeman, R. B. Blackburn, O. D. Woestman, H. M. Bonney, R. P. Brooks, of Forsytn, Ga.; G. Kellogg, W. B. Jennison; Misses Marguerette Whiteside, Stilson and Wooten, Mrs. W. F. Spalding, Mrs. J. S. Cowles, Mrs. Eula Griffon, Mrs. E. D. Crane, Mrs. Beatrice Dugas, Mrs. F. G. Byrd, Mrs. G. B. Denman, Miss Estelle Moody, Miss Loyd, Miss Franklin, Miss McCall, Mrs. R. J. Scott, Mrs. Richard Simms, Mrs. W. D. Tidwell, Mrs. P. M. Essig, Mrs. J. R. Garner, Mrs. W. B. Roberts, Mrs. J. Willingham, Mrs. J. D. Patterson, Mrs. John Murphy, Mrs. Virgil Perryman, Mrs. T. B. Ferris, Mrs. Albert Tidwell, Mrs. W. A. Jackson, Mrs. G. C. Elf, Mrs. F. S. Whiteside, Mrs. M. P. Wilkerson, Mrs. Henry Williams, Mrs. E. L. Barr, Mrs. T. P. Hinman, Miss Hahd, of Pelham, Ga.; Miss G. G. Ramsey, Miss W. T. Gentry, Miss Howard McCall, Miss Jessie Hopkins, Mrs. Joseph Bailey and Mrs. H. L. Collier.

Lemon Party.

On the evening of December 1 committee No. 5 of the ladies of the First Baptist church will give a unique entertainment at the Bon Air. Mrs. B. S. Drake is chairman of the committee and has arranged an interesting programme.

Each guest on arrival will receive a lemon, which, at a cost of 25 cents, they will release. Lemonade will be made and the seeds placed in a glass bowl will be the subject of a guessing contest, a prize to be awarded to the one guessing nearest the number of seeds.

Thanksgiving Party.

A Thanksgiving party will be held at the home of Mrs. Alexander Beck, No. 301 Capitol avenue, tonight under the auspices of the Young People's Christian Union of the Universalist church. A number of original Thanksgiving stories will be read and a prize awarded. "Mr. Pumpkin" will also receive without comment any thank offering in the way of birthday money that may be made.

Meetings.

There will be a meeting of the Council of Jewish Women in the vestry of the temple this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The subject for discussion will be the "Sabbath." A short musical programme will be presented and a full attendance is urged.

The semi-monthly meeting of the executive committee of the Florence Crittenton home will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. R. T. Dorsey.

The friends and members of the Young Women's Christian Association are cordially invited to an old-fashioned social evening at the association rooms Friday evening, November 28, at 7 o'clock. There will be no card invitations this month. The general invitation includes all interested.

The Atlanta Woman's Missionary Union will have its regular monthly meeting today in the reading room of the American Baptist Publication Society. All interested in this work are urged to be present.

The New Era Reading Circle will hold its regular meeting this morning at 10 o'clock in the Carnegie library.

Social Items.

Miss Gertrude Thomas, of Athens, the guest of Miss Frances Walter, who has been quite sick for several days, is out again.

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Miss Katherine M. Jennings, of North Carolina, is the guest of relatives in the city for several weeks.

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Mr. and Mrs. James M. Gregory have have returned from New Orleans.

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Misses Julia and Camilla McWhorter, the lovely young daughters of Judge Hamilton McWhorter, are the guests of Governor and Mrs. Terrell.

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Mrs. Albert Howell, Jr., entertains the Wednesday Whist Club today.

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Mrs. Jack Horner entertained the Tuesday Whist Club yesterday.

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The book carnival given by the ladies of the First Christian church at the old Bowen store, next to Chamberlin-Johnson's, on Whitehall street, proved a most popular resort yesterday. Elegant lunches were served and many attractive articles were displayed. The carnival will close tonight and the ladies will continue to serve lunches and meals during the day.

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Mr. B. Frank Moore, formerly of Atlanta, is located permanently in Washington.

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Misses Nancy and May Waldo will entertain at cards Friday morning in compliment to Miss McElroy, of Kentucky, and their guest, Miss Lottie Lane, of Auburn, Ala.

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Mrs. William M. Robertson and little daughter, Katherine, are in the city, where they will spend the winter.

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Misses Grace and Marion Bagwell, who have been spending several weeks with relatives in Atlanta, have returned to Florida.

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Miss Mary Brent Smith, who is attending Lucy Cobb, will spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hoke Smith. She will bring with her today Miss Mary Fortson, of Washington, Ga.; Miss Irene Walker, of Monroe; Miss Coffee and Miss Mary Lou Berkely.

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The Twentieth Century Club ladies are giving.

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C. L. Bruner, of Macon, train master for the second division of the Central of Georgia, spent Monday in the city.

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L. P. Smith, of Chattanooga, city passenger and ticket agent for the Southern at that point, was in Atlanta Monday.

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Miss McElroy, of Kentucky, arrives in the city today on a visit to Miss Mamye Miller.

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Messrs. S. W. Mays, Joe Hall and Robert Gregg left yesterday for New Orleans, where they will represent the Tech chapter at the Kappa Sigma convention.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grady leave the first of the month for Florida.

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Miss Leila Belle Fuller leaves today for Griffin to visit her aunt, Mrs. J. D. Boyd.

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Miss Ira Ayers has returned to her home in Alabama.

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Miss Lalla Harris, of Birmingham, is spending the winter with Miss Augusta Hardin.

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Mr. Alex H. Alford, of Auburn, Ala., has been spending several days in the city. He will return Thursday with the Auburn football team, of which he is captain.

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Miss Katherine Lovette is rapidly recovering from her illness.

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Miss Lula Callaway will entertain at a Dutch supper Friday evening in compliment to Miss McElroy, of Kentucky.

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Miss Mildred Baker, of North Carolina, will be the guest next week of relatives on Washington street.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Belden have returned to their home in Chattanooga.

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Miss Mattie O'Hara and Miss Timmie Chambliss return to Wesleyan Female college on Monday afternoon after a few days' visit to Miss Jennie Gray Thomas.

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Miss Bessie Moore will spend Thanksgiving in Atlanta.

HOLIDAY OPENING.

The American Baptist Publication Society Inaugurates Its Gifts Sale.

Yesterday morning the American Baptist Publication Society at 69 Whitehall street formally opened its holiday trade. Notwithstanding the inclement weather, all day long crowds of people called to inspect the immense display of gift books, pictures, calendars and cards—the most suitable Christmas gifts. The sales rooms were attractively decorated and looked as though Santa Claus had already arrived. The American Baptist Publication Society, in addition to its large stock of goods, makes a specialty of Christmas novelties. The special annual sale usually begins at least one month before Christmas and yesterday the opening was a most auspicious one.

Mr. H. S. Cole, the active and accommodating manager, together with his dozen or more assistants, were busy showing the people what was new and inviting for the coming holiday trade. The people of Atlanta will not find it a difficult task to make their holiday selections this season, provided they visit the salesrooms of the American Baptist Publication Society.

The opening will continue today and tomorrow and the people generally are invited to call at the store and inspect the many beautiful things to be seen. The indications are that the weather will be fair and pleasant. This being true, there is no better time to make your advance holiday purchases than today. Remember the place, 69 Whitehall street.

WRIGHT FOR CLAIMS COURT.

Illinois Jurist Has Been Selected by President.

Washington, November 25.—The president has decided to appoint Judge Francis M. Wright, now judge of the circuit and appellate court of Illinois, to the vacancy on the court of claims caused by the death of John Davis. Judge Wright was primarily endorsed by the Illinois delegation in congress, and after his capabilities had been investigated by the attorney general it was decided to appoint him. Judge Wright is from the district represented by Representative Warner. He is a vetran of the civil war, and a well known jurist.

Last Summer, while at Oyster Bay, the president tendered the appointment of judge of the court of claims to Senator McLaurin, of South Carolina, but after some consideration, Senator McLaurin declined the proffer.

The president also announced his decision to appoint Ashly M. Gould, of this city, as associate justice of the supreme court of the district of Columbia.

The steamer Deutschland, New York, November 14, for Plymouth, Cherbourg and Hamburg, has arrived at the first named port and reported having encountered terrific weather.

At New Haven, Conn., two more Yale students, John A. Moorehead, of Allegheny, Pa., and William R. Osthheim, of St. Louis, Mo., have been arrested on charges growing out of the recent attack by a crowd of students upon speculators having tickets for the Yale-Harvard football game. They were released until next Saturday, under bond.

woolen underwear without the "tickle"

bristles are splendid to make brushes of—but poor substitutes for wool in the manufacture of underwear.

folks with an idea that wearing wool means to be tormented with an itching sensation evidently haven't seen ours—

you'll find pleasure in wearing our woolen underwear—it's soft, smooth and silky, without briars, burs, or other foreign matter to irritate the skin—just a matter of getting good, honest garments that have an intrinsic value that's as good as gold dust.

the price for good garments, of part wool, starts at 75c and ends at "harderfold," which is the finest woolen underwear made.

Daniel Bros.

Furnishers. Hatters.

1 to 5 Peachtree,

On the Bridge.

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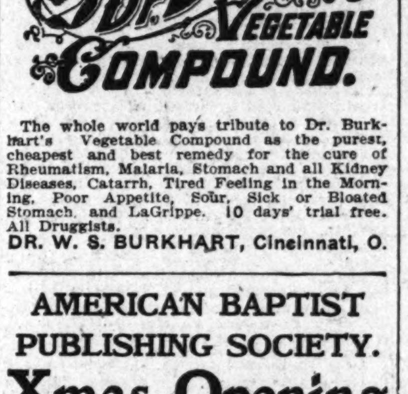
ON A
GAS STOVE ~
ATLANTA GAS LIGHT CO.

Turkeys, Cranberries, Celery, Oysters, etc,, for Thanksgiving at bottom prices. Union Market Co., 14 N. Broad St. J. B. Smith, Mgr.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30 DAYS' TREATMENT for 25 cents.
Dr. Burkhart's VEGETABLE COMPOUND.

The whole world pays tribute to Dr. Burkhart's Vegetable Compound as the purest, cheapest and best remedy for the cure of Rheumatism, Malaria, Stomach and all Kidney Diseases, Catarrh, Tired Feeling in the Morning, Poor Appetite, Sour, Sick or Bloated Stomach, and LaGrippe. 10 days' trial free. All Druggists.

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AMERICAN BAPTIST PUBLISHING SOCIETY.

Xmas Opening

Tuesday and Wednesday.

Umbrellas.

If you have not seen our Umbrella line lately you will be surprised at the many new styles we are showing. The detachable handle is a leading feature with our Umbrellas.

Julius R. Watts & Co.,
JEWELERS,
28 Whitehall Street.

"Old Fazenda COFFEE IS COFFEE that IS COFFEE." Sure.

3 lbs. 80c.

Free samples to ladies who will call.

NO. 1 N. FORSYTH ST., opp. Austell Bldg.

MRS. ROSA F. MONNISH, M. D.,
DR. W. A MONNISH,

Specialty, diseases of women. Twenty years' experience. Skillful and modern treatment. Graduates of American and European hospitals and colleges. Offices at residence, 349 Peachtree street. Entrance to offices, Forrest avenue. Bell 'phone 1343, Standard 827.

GIVEN AWAY.

Samples of Nathan's delicious Fruit and Pound Cake.

75 PEACHTREE,
Cor. Auburn Ave.

Impaired Digestion

is quickly corrected by these wonderful pills—One trial will show you the reason for the big sales of

Beecham's Pills

Sold Everywhere—In boxes 10c. and 25c.

Winter Is Coming.

About Stove—cold weather is coming as sure as the proverbial "death and taxes." When the first cold snap comes, stove setting-up will be crowded to the limit. Better get things ready—"forewarned is to be forearmed." Coal is at the top notch. Even the settlement of the strike can't bring prices down before spring. But with a stove instead of a grate you'll burn about one-fifth the coal and get twice the heat. Your house will be comfortable at half the expense. The stoves will more than pay for themselves this season.

Peerless Monitor Oak.

The Peerless Monitor Oak is an absolutely air-tight heater. The fire is under complete control, regulated to a slow, even heat, or a quick fire. The Peerless is made with extra heavy fire pot and grates. The smaller size is made with collar at the back for direct connection with the grate without elbow in pipe. Prices range upward from $10.

Agents Also for the "Radiant Home Heaters."

Hightower & Graves,

BLUE STAMPS. 90 WHITEHALL ST. GREEN STAMPS.

Dorothy Dodd
TRADE MARK
C.STEWART

Style and Comfort

CAN live together in a pair of shoes, never mind what old-fashioned people say. But the Dorothy Dodd has proved more than this. It shows that an ungraceful carriage or slouchy gait is often traceable to illy-constructed shoes.

The Dorothy Dodd with its strong arch-support and perfectly flexible sole gives new poise to the body in walking.

Just try a pair.

Only one place you can get them in town—at

$3.00 a Pair. Keely's

OUR THANKS.

We think it not inappropriate at this time to thank our many customers for their generous patronage which has made our opening season most satisfactory. We assure you that we appreciate your confidence, and shall constantly endeavor to make this store the best exponent of modern retailing. The best of Shoes at the fairest of prices.

MANN & LEWIS SHOE CO.
41 Peachtree St.

Notice!

Today, Wednesday, we will turn over our Whitehall Window to the little folks from

Home of the Friendless
From 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Last year's success the day before Thanksgiving proves this to be a window well worth your attention tomorrow, and a cause well worthy of a liberal Thanksgiving contribution from every one.

Remember the Box!

Chamberlin-Johnson-DuBose Co.

SAM WALKER'S 83-85 Peachtree St. Both Phones 105.

The leading Art Store of the South, now offers for inspection the largest and most select stock of

HOLIDAY

goods ever shown in Atlanta. Pictures in sheets and framed. Original Water Colors, Etching Sets, as well as all the new

NOVELTIES

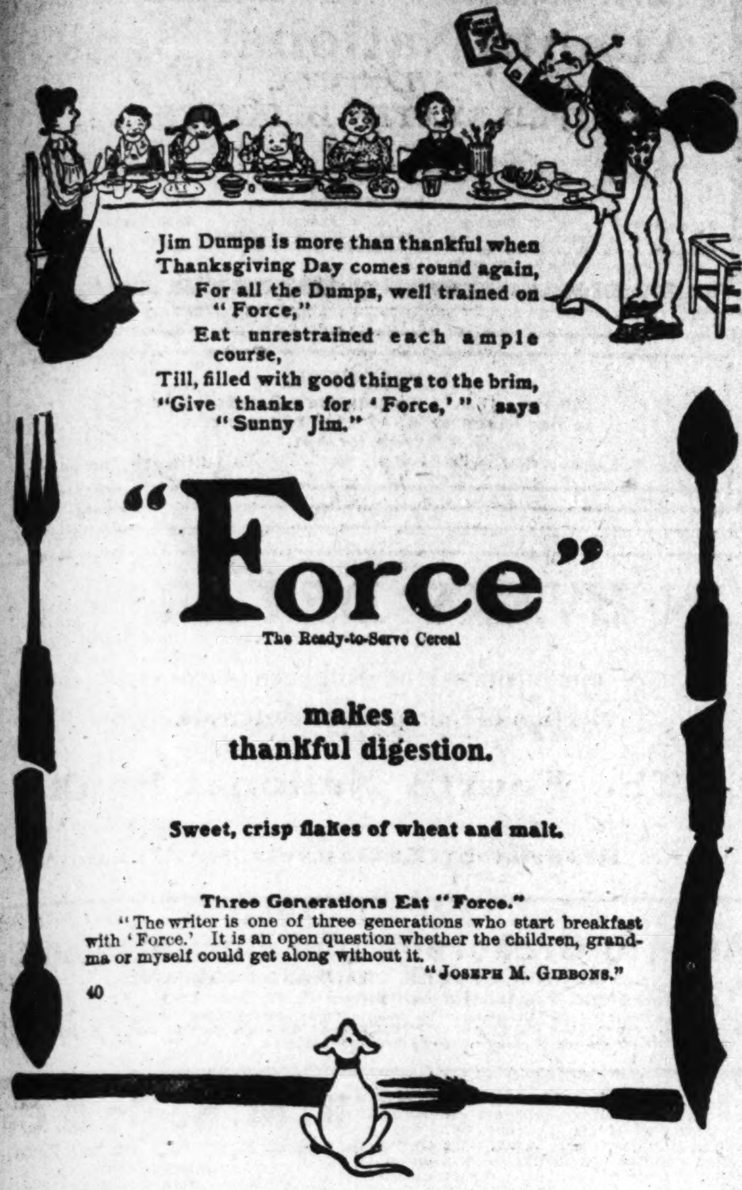
for the Holiday season. New shipments will arrive two or three times a week until Xmas. Mail orders receive prompt attention the day received.

28 Days Until Christmas.

And the earlier you start in making your selections for Holiday Gifts the more certain you will be of getting the choicest pieces. One of the best selections you can make is a Diamond. Diamonds are about the best possible investment for surplus cash. You can always realize on a diamond if you have to. It's just the same as the cash itself. The enjoyment you get out of it is the interest on the investment. A Diamond is about the only thing you can buy and wear that doesn't wear out, or that doesn't lose its value with age. A Diamond is worth more today than it was yesterday, and it will be worth more in a hundred years, according to the recent advance in Diamonds.

But be careful in your selection. Get the right kind of stones, from a reliable place, at the right prices. I have a magnificent collection—in fact pieces such as have never before been carried in stock in this city. You are cordially invited to come in and see my Diamond Exhibit.

CHARLES W. CRANKSHAW,
Diamond Merchant and Jeweler, 37 Whitehall Street, Atlanta.
Out-of-town patronage solicited.



Jim Dumps is more than thankful when
Thanksgiving Day comes round again,
For all the Dumps, well trained on "Force,"
Eat unrestrained each ample course,
Till, filled with good things to the brim,
"Give thanks for 'Force,'" says "Sunny Jim."

"Force"
The Ready-to-Serve Cereal

makes a thankful digestion.

Sweet, crisp flakes of wheat and malt.

Three Generations Eat "Force."
"The writer is one of three generations who start breakfast with 'Force.' It is an open question whether the children, grandma or myself could get along without it.
"JOSEPH M. GIBBONS."

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MAJOR BREESE ON THE STAND

The Alleged Asheville Bank Wrecker Testifies — Rate Discrimination Hearing.

Charlotte, N. C., November 25.—(Special.)—Major W. E. Breese, one of the three who the government alleges is responsible for the wreck of the First national bank at Asheville, took the stand today on his own behalf. It is the consensus of opinion that Major Breese makes an admirable witness, answering every question promptly and with apparent frankness.

Charlotte Freight Rates.

The Charlotte shippers closed their cases before the interstate commerce comission today and the railroads offered testimony in defense. T. C. Powell, traffic manager of the Southern, denied emphatically that there is any discrimination against Charlotte, declaring that the rates are as low proportionately as they are to other competitive points. Three other witnesses will be introduced by the defense.

TROUBLE OVER POKER GAME.

Little Game of Draw Causes Three Arrests—"Mr. Johnson, of South Carolina," Was Fleeced.

A little game of poker which was played in the city last Saturday night has caused the arrest of a white woman and two men.

A man giving his name as "Mr. Johnson, of South Carolina," reported to the police yesterday morning that he had been fleeced in a game of draw poker and he wanted the fleecers arrested and his money recovered, if possible.

Detectives White, Walton, Campbell and Steint worked on the case, and they made three arrests with the assistance of Patrolmen Belden. The prisoners are Stella Cole, George Boyle and J. C. Ayers.

"Mr. Johnson, of South Carolina," states that he was decoyed into a house of questionable character Saturday night and there made drunk and inveigled into a game of cards. Boyle and Ayers and a third party, he says, played in the game and he was soon minus every cent he had, which included several hundred dollars. He states that the woman was present and aided and abetted the game. The prisoners will be charged with cheating and swindling.

A FALSE HEART.

Coffee Does Not Let It Beat True.

"Coffee served me a very hard turn about two years ago. My doctor said I had chronic dyspepsia with serious heart and nervous trouble and nothing would cure me unless I gave up coffee," said Miss Hattie Williams, of Birmingham, Ala.

"My stomach got so bad that I could not eat any solid food without its nauseating me, and I was so nervous I could not sleep and my heart was in a dreadful condition. I had heard a great deal about Postum Food Coffee and how much good people had derived from changing from coffee to Postum, so one day I sent to the grocer for a package.

"The first cup I drank helped me, for it removed all the gas from my stomach, or perhaps the quitting of coffee produced that result, at any rate, in less than a week there was a wonderful change; no more restless nights; no more pains around my heart that made me think I had heart trouble; no more sick stomach. This was two years ago. I am now entirely well and Postum cured me. I found it was not medicine I needed but proper food and nourishment and to quit coffee entirely.

"My brother in law (a coffee drinker) was very sick with stomach trouble and all he could eat was the white of an egg. I insisted on his trying Postum. He said the first cup he drank soothed his stomach and was nourishing; in a few days he was able to eat solid food again, and now he uses it altogether and does not use coffee.

"My next door neighbor, another coffee drinker, had suffered with catarrh of the stomach, and for months could not eat anything—was just living on beef tea. I carried her some Postum and gave her directions for making it and now she can eat anything she wants and it does not hurt her. She says she feels better than she has for ten years.

"I could tell you of dozens of people who have been benefited by leaving off coffee and drinking Postum. It has done me so much good I tell everybody to use it. I have been using it now for two years and my digestion is fine, my complexion clear and everyone says I look ten years younger."

INSURANCE RATE ON WHISKY.

Distillers Threaten To Organize Company if Rate Is Not Reduced.

Louisville, Ky., November 25.—Unless the Kentucky and Tennessee board of fire underwriters agree to grant a reduction in the rate of insurance on whisky and distillery property, the Kentucky Distillers' Association will form a mutual insurance company to take over the distilling risks.

This decision was reached at a meeting here today of the Kentucky Distillers' Association, and a number of distillers of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Maryland.

A committee, headed by J. B. Thompson, president of the Kentucky association, was chosen to formulate plans for the new company, but the final decision in the matter will be withheld until an answer is given by the fire insurance men to the plea for lower rates made by the whisky men before the board of underwriters last week.

The distillers claim that the fire companies could reduce the rates on whisky 50 per cent and continue to make a profit, while the underwriters assert that they lose money on the present basis.

The Kentucky association also considered plans for obtaining a reduction in the tax on whisky in bond from $1.10 to 70 cents and the passage of the outage bill before the next session of congress.

A Health Guard

Is a great blessing in a sickly season, especially when such diseases as the grip, pneumonia and diphtheria, which are so serious in themselves or their effects, are going the rounds.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills are the best health guards, keeping up the purity and abundance of the blood, the vigor and tone of all the organs and functions.

They are often the stitch in time that saves nine. Take them for protection and begin taking them now.

Louisa Thrall, Francis, Pa., says: "We find Hood's Sarsaparilla excellent for toning up the system. It keeps us well and strong."

Accept no substitute for Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills, for no substitutes act like them.

See those "Gibson Style" photos at Adams', 40 1-2 Whitehall. It will pay you to have the baby's picture made by him. He has something different from anybody in town. wed thur sat

WOMAN SUFFRAGISTS MEET.

Third Annual Convention of Georgia Association Now in Session at Universalist Church.

The third annual convention of the Georgia Woman Suffrage Association opened at 10 o'clock yesterday morning in the Universalist church. The welcome address was delivered by Mrs. Alice Daniels, after which fraternal greetings from Susan B. Anthony, Carrie Chapman Catt, Kate M. Gordon and other prominent woman suffragists were read.

The convention will hold a business session this morning, at which the annual election of officers will take place. This evening Hon. F. H. Richardson will deliver and address, after which a symposium on child labor, led by Hon. C. C. Houston and Rev. C. B. Wilmer, will be held.

BOY THIEVES ARE ARRESTED.

Members of "Jesse James' Gang, of Atlanta," Caught with Stolen Watches and Jewelry.

Officers Dobbins and Bone, doing special detective work, arrested Walter Klein and Robert Kimball, two white boys, yesterday morning, charged with stealing a number of fine gold watches. These watches were recovered and one has been traced to Chicago. A silver bracelet was also taken from one of the boys. On the bracelet are small silver hearts, one of which is engraved with "Montgomery, Ala." Klein wore a plain gold ring with the date, "December, 1898," and the word, "Mother," engraved on it.

All the watches except one, a lady's double case watch, have been identified.

The boys belong to a gang known as the "Jesse James Gang, of Atlanta," and have been notorious in police circles.

The officers are still recovering stolen goods.

Klein, who seems to be the leader of the gang, refuses to say where he got the watches and jewelry.

The gang was turned up by a boy who bought a watch from Klein.

B. F. Wyly, Jr., of Pittsburg, traffic manager of the Lackawanna and Wyoming Valley Rapid Transit Company, is in the city to spend Thangsgiving with his family. On his return to Pittsburg Mr. Wyly will take his family with him. Mr. Wyly was formerly general passenger and ticket agent of the West Point route and has a large circle of friends among the Atlanta passenger fraternity.

C. C. McMillin, of Augusta, general agent passenger department for the Georgia railroad, was in Atlanta yesterday.

GOVERNOR JELKS INSPECTS MINES

Varying Conditions Under Which Convicts Work.

Montgomery, Ala., November 25.—(Special.)—Governor Jelks and Judge Carmichael, president of the convict board, have gone to the mining district to make a personal inspection of the mines which are bidding for convicts and to study the varying conditions under which the convicts would have to work.

The net result is felt to depend as much on the conditions as to thickness of seam and the like, as on the price. They will give several days to the inspection.

Josiah Morris Bank Case.

The case of John P. Kohn, cashier of the Josiah Morris bank at the time of the purchase of bonds from the county, and under indictment for that transaction, is now on trial before the city court. The afternoon was spent on a demurrer which sets up that the indictment does not allege any personal interest of Kohn and that he was a stranger in the transaction.

Hugh M. Dent Gets Place.

Hugh M. Dent will be appointed solicitor of Montgomery county to succeed Tennent Lomax. The governor has determined on this and makes no secret of it, but the formal appointment is delayed a few days from motives of delicacy.

REV. JUSTUS WAYTES IN JAIL.

Rome Minister Is Charged with Having Too Many Wives.

Rome, Ga., November 25.—(Special.)—Rev. Justus Waytes, pastor of Thankful Baptist, the leading negro church of the city, found an unwelcome reception when he got off the train here from a visit to Chattanooga. Deputy Sheriffs Broach and Byars were on hand with a warrant for Rev. Waytes.

The ebony divine is wanted in Columbia, S. C., for bigamy. It is said that he has wives scattered over the country, and it was through spouse No. 3 that his downfall has come. Waytes married a woman in Staunton, Va., only a few weeks ago.

He has been pastor of Thankful church some six or eight months. eH is very popular among the female members of his flock.

Waytes was placed in jail to await further developments.

CONSERVATIVE CLUB MEETS.

Name Aldermen and Board of Education at Waycross.

Waycross, Ga., November 25.—(Special.) In a downpour of rain one hundred and fifty members of the Conservative Club met tonight to nominate three members of the board of education and three aldermen. The nominations are as follows:

C. E. Murphy, first ward; Samuel D. Pittman, from third ward, to oppose R. B. Ballard, the incumbent; John M. Cox, from fifth ward, in opposition to S. T. Wright, who now represents that ward. Members of the board of education: A. M. Knight, L. Johnson and V. L. Stanton.

A white primary will be held on December 13.

MORTUARY.

Capt. A. P. Mordunt, San Francisco.

San Francisco, November 25.—Captain A. P. Mordunt, who is credited with having made the first discovery of pay gold at Nome, died in this city today.

Mrs. Annie Morgan, Macon.

Macon, Ga., November 25.—(Special.)—Mrs. Annie N. Morgan died at the home of her son, Hon. W. T. Morgan, some time during last night. Mrs. Morgan was an aged lady. She suffered a stroke of paralysis in the summer, but had partially recovered, and was in her usual health when she retired last night. She occupied a room alone, and when a member of the family went to her room this morning she was dead. Mrs. Morgan was well known for her charitable works.

W. D. Martin, Valdosta.

Valdosta, Ga., November 25.—(Special.) W. D. Martin, an aged and prominent citizen of this county, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. K. Howell, on River street yesterday afternoon.

Carter Tanner, Greenville, S. C.

Greenville, S. C., November 25.—(Special.)—Carter Tanner, one of the best known citizens of the county, died yesterday afternoon at the home of his son in law near this city. He was 83 years old, having lived near Greenville for fifty-five years.

James E. A. Gibbes Is Dead.

Lexington, Va., November 25.—James E. A. Gibbes, the inventor of the Wilcox & Gibbes sewing machine and other inventions, died at his home at Raphine, Rockbridge county, today. He was 73 years of age.

FOR PURE COMFORT.

"SOROSIS" The Famous Shoe for Women

The name is not what gives "SOROSIS" Shoes their phenomenal popularity. They FIT THE FEET and are at the same time beautiful, serviceable and stylish. They combine fashion and comfort. This is the secret of their success. The latest shapes, the most fashionable and highest grade leather. The styles for the fall and winter of 1902 are the most beautiful ever shown in America. They combine the highest quality of material and workmanship.

Price Always $3.50

They Fit Where Others Fail. For Sale in Atlanta only by

J. M. HIGH COMPANY.

FOR RENT!

Those new Houses on Pryor Street near Rawson have been reduced to

$40.00.

M. L. THROWER,
39 N. FORSYTH ST.

BIG LIBEL SUIT IS BEING HEARD

E. T. Sykes, Jr., Asks for $50,000 from Mississippi Oil Mills for Slander.

Columbus, Miss., November 25.—(Special.)—Circuit court this morning took up the case of E. T. Sykes, Jr., v. The Mississippi Cotton Mill Company, on a charge of libel. Mr. Sykes sues for $50,000. The case is being heard before Judge Hall, of Meridian, Judge Sykes, the official judge of this district, being disqualified on account of relationship to the plaintiff. This case is attracting great interest throughout Mississippi.

Mr. Sykes is the former cashier of the Mississippi Cotton Oil Company's mill at this place. Last December he resigned his position with the company. After his resignation he became interested in trying to expose an alleged oil mill combine, and to this end he went to Jackson and furnished Senator Noel, of Holmes county, with all the facts he had in this connection. Senator Noel was in the act of furnishing the senate with the proof Mr. Sykes had brought him when Senator Bradley arose and read a telegram from John A. Lewis, vice president of the Mississippi Cotton Oil Company, stating that Mr. Sykes was a defaulter of $1,200 of the company's funds. Mr. Sykes then dropped this exposure before the senate and came to this city. As soon as papers could be prepared he entered suit for libel against the company for $50,000. The case came up for hearing last spring and was continued until this fall term.

AUGUSTA CITIZENS PROTEST.

Will Fight Bill Authorizing Street Tax of $1.

Augusta, Ga., November 25.—(Special.)—In spite of continuous drizzle, punctuated at intervals during the day and night with hard rain, a mass meeting of about two hundred voters convened at the court house tonight to protest against the passage of the bill now before the legislature, providing for a street tax of one dollar on voters in Augusta.

Delegates will go to Atlanta for and against this measure, and the fire commissioner's bill and others, which will be before the general judiciary committee Friday afternoon.

Speeches were made in opposition to the proposed legislation, a resolution was adopted calling on Richmond's representatives to defeat it and a committee of five was appointed to go to Atlanta.

MOTHER'S FRIEND

A baby is whatever its parents make it. This is so even to the first stages of gestation, when, if the mother gets proper treatment, the baby will be a jolly, laughing, good tempered, robust little angel. Nature when aided by *Mother's Friend* will give a healthful child with a free and graceful body, which is evidenced in elastic action of the limbs, clear skin, bright eyes, fine hair. We exclaim involuntarily over such a creation, "How beautiful!" meaning not necessarily that the child is pretty, but that its general effect is one of seeming attractiveness.

Mother's Friend is a liniment for external application. Women's own pretty fingers rub it gently on the parts so severely taxed, and it is instantly absorbed and so lubricates the parts.

Your druggist sells it for $1.00 per bottle.
You may have our book "Motherhood" FREE.

THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.

FOUND.

FOUND—On November 18th, corner Vine and Parson streets, gold watch. Owner can have by calling on William Thomas, 163 Larkin street.

FOR EXCHANGE.

WANT to exchange $30,000 of stock in smaller amounts, with a guaranteed 10 per cent dividend, for real estate, Atlanta preferred. Sam'l D. Hewlett, 203 Peters building.

FOR RENT—Rooms.

ONE desirable room for rent at 139 Spring st. Modern conveniences. 11-20-7t

FOR RENT—Desirable rooms with or without board; everything first-class; no children wanted. 140 Spring street.

TYPEWRITERS AND SUPPLIES.

FOR SALE—Second-hand machines of every description; titles guaranteed; easy terms. Write for sample. New York Typewriter Exchange, 519 Empire bldg.

THE FASTEST operator in the world is Miss Mae Carrington, Springfield, Mass., who uses the Underwood Standard Visible Writing Typewriter. Write for catalogue. Wagner Typewriter Co., Atlanta, Ga.

MILLINERY.

MILLINERY—Fine millinery, the very latest styles, none better, prettier or more reasonable in price. C. H. Smith, 180 Peachtree st.

FURNITURE.

THE cheapest place to buy furniture, mattings, rugs on cash or easy payments. J. C. & J. G. Evins, 73 Whitehall.

SITUATION WANTED—Male.

WANTED—Position by young man experienced window dressing, ladies' garments and millinery. Address M. D., Box 97, Perry, Ga.

ATLANTA STOVE WORKS.

200 FEET of iron fence, post and stone, from around the First Baptist church for sale in quantities to suit. Apply to Atlanta Stove Works.

LOST.

LOST—On Saturday night, November 22, a gold watch and fob, with an A. T. O. charm in fob and my name engraved on same and initials, R. M. S., engraved in watch. A reward will be paid for return of same. R. M. Seale, 14 North Pryor street.

ROOF PAINT.

THE celebrated "A.-G." Roof Coating and Cement stops leaks; fire proof; send for prices and estimates; agents wanted. The T. C. McDonald "A.-G." Roof Paint Co., agency 447 Central ave., Atlanta, Ga.

SIGN PAINTING.

WELLS SIGN COMPANY,
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FROM THE CHEAPEST "THAT'S GOOD" TO THE "BEST THAT'S MADE."
21-2 NORTH BROAD STREET.
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B. A. WARLICK & CO., steam, hot water and hot air heating, metal cornices, skylights, ventilators, oil engines and pumps, 79 and 81 Edgewood avenue.

MILITARY UNIFORMS.

GOVERNOR staff uniforms a specialty, strictly regulation. Carroll Bros., Civil and Military Tailors, 172 Peachtree, opposite Aragon hotel.

TAILORING.

BRING me your overcoat to clean, repair, reline, etc. C. O. Harwell, Tailor, 113 N. Pryor. 'Phone 1062.

ROSENFELD & SHOMO, 4 Walton st. Before placing your order for fall suit see our $27.50 leader; we guarantee them equal to any $35 suit made in this city.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW GOODS, original patterns. Prices and work guaranteed. A call will convince. White Wall Paper Co., 69 N. Pryor.

E. D. CRANE & CO.—Stanhopes and traps.

COOL WEATHER coming. You will find a splendid assortment of horse blankets at D. Morgan's, 119 Whitehall st.

FOR SALE—The cheapest and best coals in Atlanta by J. W. Wills & Co. Simpson street and Southern railway.

E. D. CRANE & CO.—Fine carriages.

GO to Tye's, 141 Whitehall, for the best meats, sausage, dressed poultry, cheese, butter, etc.

SOUTHERN Engraving Co., Atlanta, conduct the best equipped engraving plant in the south.

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ANOTHER GUESS LAUNCHED

Latham, Alexander & Co. Say the Crop Will Be 11,000,000 Bales. Caused Decline of 9 to 14 Points—Stock Market Steady.

New York, November 25.—The cotton market, after opening weak at a decline of 4@11 points on disappointing cables, reacted and advanced 5@7 points from the low figures of the early morning. To have matched our conditions of yesterday Liverpool was due to report a gain of 4@5 points. Early cables, however, only reported an advance of 3@4 points, with the close reducing their net gain to 1-2@1 1-2 points. The market here soon developed considerable strength, however, on bad weather reports, notably from Texas, where serious damage was reported from late rains with forecasts of a somewhat general freeze for tonight. Other parts of the cotton belt sent poor crop advices, which led shorts to cover and prompted considerable new buying interest, on which the market advanced as indicated. The disposition to secure profits, however, once more became general and prices gave way sharply under active selling with supporting orders subsiding, partly because a private estimate appeared on the exchange pointing to a crop of 11,000,000 bales. The selling movement was still later checked by the disregard made by southern spot markets to the speculative weakness shown at New York, New Orleans and Liverpool, two of the leading spot markets advancing 1-8c and two others 1-16c. Towards the close of the exchange commission houses became pretty fair buyers, th emovement of cotton not being on a scale to fulfill the larger crop estimates with which the season commenced. The total sales were 400,000 bales. The market closed steady 9@14 points net lower.

Review of New Orleans Market.

New Orleans, November 25.—The market for spot cotton was altogether changed in character from that of yesterday. The offerings were light and lists of desirable grades were not easy to locate. But on the other hand there has been a material change of sentiment among buyers. Yesterday's sharp advance in prices had the effect of checking the buying movement at Liverpool, and orders cabled to this side were comparatively light and weighted with limitations. Soles 3,300 bales, including 600 to arrive. Quotations unchanged.

The transactions in futures today were quite large, but the tide of sentiment had changed, and the bulls were tossing the bears skyward. The market opened 7@10 points lower, the decline being based upon reports of clearing weather in Texis. After the first call there was a reaction of 7 points as the result of demand satisfied, the market once more assumed a heavy aspect and prices were forced down again, but with occasional upward fluctuations, and at the close the record showed net declines from yesterday's figures of 5 points on November, 11 on December and 13 points on the other positions.

The Dry Goods Market.

New York, November 25.—The market for all descriptions of cotton goods here was slow today. The weather was bad and spot business was dull. Order demand was limited and prices were unchanged. Print cloths were quiet but steady. Export demand for heavy cottons was inactive, and the immediate outlook was not promising.

The following was the range of cotton futures in New York yesterday:

MONTHS.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Last Sale.	Closing bid and asked
November	......	......	......	......	8 27-28
December	8 39	8 39	8 28	8 28	8 30-31
January	8 39	8 43	8 30	8 32	8 32-33
February	8 30	8 30	8 21	8 21	8 22-24
March	8 29	8 34	8 22	8 26	8 25-26
April	8 28	8 34	8 26	8 29	8 25 27
May	8 28	8 35	8 23	8 26	8 26-27
June	8 29	8 34	8 29	8 31	8 26-23
July	8 30	8 36	8 25	8 29	8 29
August	8 20	8 21	8 13	8 13	8 13 15
September	......	......	......	......	......
October	......	......	......	......	......

Futures closed steady.

Following are the receipts, exports and stock at all United States ports yesterday:

	RECEIPTS		EXPORTS		STOCKS	
	1902	1901	1902	1901	1902	1901
Saturday	42938	43628	38490	57952	922974	800829
Monday	51664	51601	36374	76194	930952	766228
Tuesday	76599	81934	47101	20488	959780	830615
Wednesd'y	......	......	......	......	......	......
Thursday	......	......	......	......	......	......
Friday	......	......	......	......	......	......
Total	171201	177163	121965	154634		

The following were the closing bids for cotton futures in New Orleans:

November	8 03	May	8 23
December	8 01	June	8 24
January	8 09	July	8 26
February	8 12	August	8 10
March	8 19	September	.....
April	8 21	October	.....

Futures closed steady.

The Liverpool Market.

Liverpool, November 25—12:15 pm—Cotton, spot quiet with prices steady; middling uplands 4.60; sales 7,000 bales; American 5,300; speculation and export 500; receipts 31,000; American 24,000. Futures opened firm.

	Open'g.	Closing.
November	4 54	4 53
November-December	4 50	4 49-50
December-January	4 48	4 47-48
January-February	4 47	4 46-47
February-March	4 47	4 46
March-April	4 47	4 46
April-May	4 47	4 46
May-June	4 47	4 46
June-July	4 47	4 46

Futures closed queit.

Hubbard Bros. & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

New York, November 25.—With predictions of clearing weather in Texas the European markets refused to follow the advance. This disappointing tone to Liverpool brought selling orders to realize at the opening, which was about 8 points lower. Sharp buying by local operators, who had not heard of the government predictions of the movement of the Texas storm towards the northeast. A slow decline followed to the open prices. The freight congestion has extended into the cotton belt and thousands of cars are reported as waiting for motive power. Receipts are heavier than expected, but are expected to be lighter on account of this stormy weather. Messrs. Latham, Alexander & Co. have issued an estimate of 11,000,000 bales for the probable crop. So long as frost fails to kill the plant the yield will in many sections continue to increase. Whether the many bolls in Texas will open will not soon be determined. The close was steady at a slight reaction from the lowest. With clear weather in Texas Liverpool should be lower tomorrow.

Atlanta Brokerage Co.'s Cotton Letter

New York, November 25.—Cotton futures opened in the local market rather weak with first prices at a decline of 5 to 11 points. The cables were a distinct disappointment. The small advance recorded in the English market at the time of our opening here was entirely wiped out subsequently, and this seemed to be the signal for a heavy selling movement in the local list. At the lower prices there was an active demand and a partial rally resulted. Private and public reports on the climatic situation were bullish, and buying as the day wore on became general. Wires from Galveston stated it was raining hard and that a probable freeze all over Texas was likely for tonight. New Orleans wired to the effect that Arkansas conditions were becoming very poor, the weather forecast being for rains and colder in most sections of the belt. Strong interests on the long side added to their holdings. How-

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THE SPOT COTTON MARKETS IN DETAIL

MARKET.	Tone.	Middling.	Net Receipts.	Gross Receipts.	Sales.	Stock.	EXPORTS TO— Gt. B't'n.	Coastwise.	Continent.	France.
Atlanta	Steady	8 3-16	715	......	......	12,495	......	......	......	......
Galveston	Steady	8 3-16	22,722	22,722	4,557	229,051	......	......	12,146	......
Norfolk	Steady	8 3-16	4,657	4,657	261	31,605	......	2,509	......	......
Baltimore	Nominal	8 1-4	......	855	......	5,151	......	......	......	......
Boston	Quiet	8.60	790	867	......	......	1,620	......	......	......
Wilmington	Firm	7 3-4	3,093	3,093	......	20,724	......	......	......	......
Philadelphia	Quiet	8.75	77	77	......	7,263	......	......	......	......
Savannah	Easy	7 15-16	14,065	14,518	1,154	166,993	......	1,775	......	......
New Orleans	Easy	8	26,212	26,312	3,300	343,915	19,600	2,320	6,200	......
Mobile	Easy	7 7-8	2,252	2,252	400	31,095	......	......	7,535	......
Memphis	Steady	8	2,269	2,269	3,000	121,441	......	......	......	......
Augusta	Firm	8 1-4	1,583	1,720	671	57,855	......	......	......	......
Charleston	Quiet	8	1,570	1,570	50	15,380	......	2,300	......	......
Cincinnati	Steady	8 1-4	508	508	......	7,386	......	......	......	......
Louisville	Firm	8	......	......	......	......	......	......	......	......
St. Louis	Steady	8 1-16	600	11,538	210	22,671	......	......	......	......
Houston	Quiet	8 3-16	17,538	17,538	655	60,144	......	......	......	......
New York	Quiet	8.50	1,161	8,552	......	91,622	......	......	......	......

Total receipts, 76,599. Exports to Great Britain today, 21,220; to continent, 25,881. Stock 957,780.
Consolidated receipts 3 days, 171,201. Exports to Great Britain 3 days, 66,298; to France, 12,000; to continent, 43,667.
Total receipts since Sept. 1, 3,425,964. Exports to Great Britain since Sept. 1, 972,561; to France 255,635; to continent, 1,037,270.

OFFICIAL RANGE AND SALES OF STOCKS

Railway Stocks.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Cls. Bids. Today	Sat'day.
Atchison	35,000	83½	81¾	82⅛	83¼
do. preferred	3,400	98½	97¾	98	98½
Baltimore and Ohio	29,200	100½	98⅛	98⅞	100⅝
do. preferred	875	94¼	93⅜	93	95
Canadian Pacific	8,400	129	127⅞	128¼	128⅝
Canada Southern	200	81½	81	80	81½
Chesapeake and Ohio	5,900	46⅞	45⅞	46⅛	46⅞
Chicago and Alton	800	33½	32⅛	32⅛	33⅜
do. preferred	......	......	......	70	70⅞
Chicago, Ind. and Louis	......	......	......	70	74
do. preferred	......	......	......	78	86
Chicago and Eastern Illinois	......	......	......	......	205
Chicago and Great Western	920	26⅜	25⅝	25⅝	26
do. A preferred	300	83½	82⅝	82½	83
do. B preferred	500	39⅝	39	38⅝	40
Chicago and Northwestern	......	......	......	220	222½
Chicago Ter. and Trans	200	17⅝	17½	17½	17⅞
do. preferred	100	33	33	32½	33½
C., C., C. and St. Louis	......	......	......	96½	97
Colorado Southern	800	30	28⅝	29⅝	30¼
do. 1st preferred	900	70½	69	69	71
do. 2d preferred	1,300	44½	43½	43½	45¼
Delaware and Hudson	600	162½	161	161¼	163⅝
Delaware, Lack and West	300	242	240	242	238
Denver and Rio rande	1,900	39⅝	39⅜	39⅜	40⅜
do. preferred	100	89⅜	89⅜	89	90
Erie	11,700	34⅞	34	34⅜	34⅞
do. 1st preferred	1,100	65	64⅜	64¼	65¼
do. 2d preferred	300	47⅜	47¼	47¼	48⅜
Great Northern preferred	......	......	......	183	184
Hocking Valley	400	92	92	91	92
do. preferred	......	......	......	89½	90½
Illinois Central	5,100	146½	144½	145	146½
Iowa Central	300	39⅜	39	39½	39⅜
do. preferred	......	......	......	67	68
Lake Erie and Western	......	......	......	53	54
do. preferred	......	......	......	115	115
Louisville and Nashville	6,600	125¼	123⅝	124	124½
Manhattan L.	98,900	155½	151¼	153⅞	153⅜
Metropolitan St. Ry.	5,200	140¼	139	139	140
Mexican Central	200	23	23	23¼	23½
National Ry. of Mexico	1,100	16⅞	16½	16½	16⅝
Minneapolis and St. Louis	......	......	......	106½	107
Missouri Pacific	33,900	108¼	106¼	106⅞	108¼
Missouri, Kansas and Tex.	1,500	26¼	26	25⅝	26⅛
do. preferred	200	57	56⅝	56⅝	57
New Jersey Central	......	......	......	106½	107
New York Central	42,700	158	155¼	155⅜	157½
Norfolk and Western	5,900	70⅜	69⅞	69⅞	70⅞
do. preferred	......	......	......	90½	90
Ontario and Western	4,500	30¼	29⅝	29⅝	30⅜
Pennsylvania	49,100	158¼	156⅞	157⅛	158⅜
Reading	141,200	62⅜	60⅝	60⅝	62⅞
do. 1st preferred	......	......	......	86	86½
do. 2d preferred	1,900	76¼	76	75¼	76⅜
St. L. and San Francisco	400	73	72½	72	72⅜
do. 1st preferred	......	......	......	80	80
do. 2d preferred	400	71	70½	71	70½
St. Louis Southwestern	200	28½	28½	27⅝	28
do. preferred	700	63¼	62⅜	62½	64
St. Paul	48,400	177⅝	174⅜	176½	177⅝
do. preferred	400	190	190	190	190
Southern Pacific	37,900	63⅜	62⅜	62⅝	63⅝
Southern Railway	4,100	32½	31⅞	31⅞	32½
do. preferred	200	92½	92½	92	92½
Texas and Pacific	3,100	43	42⅛	42¼	43⅛
Toledo, St. L. and West	700	28⅜	27½	28⅜	29⅝
do. preferred	......	......	......	46	46⅜

Railway Stocks.	Sales.	High.	Low.	Cls. Bid. Today	Sat'day.
Union Pacific	77,500	101	99⅛	99½	101
do. preferred	70,400	92⅜	90⅜	91	92⅜
Wabash	2,800	30	28	29¼	30⅜
do. preferred	800	44¼	43¼	43⅜	44⅜
Wheeling and Lake Erie	......	......	......	24½	25
do. 2d preferred	100	34	34	34	35
Wisconsin Central	1,000	26	25	25	25
do. preferred	1,000	51	50	49	50½
Express Companies.					
Adams	......	......	......	200	200
American	......	......	......	225	230
United States	......	......	......	130	131
Wells Fargo	......	......	......	210	210
Miscellaneous.					
Amalgamated Copper	21,600	56⅜	54½	55	56⅜
Amer. Car and Foundry	200	35	34⅜	34⅜	35
do. preferred	100	90½	90½	90	90½
American Linseed Oil	600	16	16	14	16½
do preferred	......	......	......	41	41
Amer. Smelting and Refng.	5,600	42⅜	40⅜	40⅜	42⅞
do. preferred	2,300	94	90	91	92⅛
Anaconda Mining Co.	300	87	87	87	87
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	16,300	63¼	60⅞	61¼	62⅜
Colorado Fuel and Iron	19,300	91	85½	88	85½
Consolidated Gas	1,200	214	213	213½	212⅜
Continental Tobacco pfd	100	118¼	118¼	117½	117½
General Electric	600	180	189½	180	178
Hocking Coal	200	20	20	20	20
International Paper	1,600	18¼	18	17½	18
do. preferred	100	71⅛	71⅛	71	72
International Power	200	58	56	55½	58
Laclede Gas	......	......	......	90	......
National Biscuit	......	......	......	45	45
National Lead	1,700	28⅛	26⅞	27	28
North American	......	......	......	118½	120
Pacific Coast	......	......	......	70	70½
Pacific Mail	......	......	......	38	39
People's Gas	1,800	101⅝	100⅜	100⅞	101⅛
Pressed Steel Car	100	59½	59½	59	59½
do. preferred	......	......	......	90	91
Pullman Palace Car	......	......	......	225	226
Republic Steel	800	19¼	18⅜	18⅜	19
do. preferred	700	76	75½	75½	76⅜
Sugar	10,600	119⅜	118½	118⅝	120¼
Tennessee Coal and Iron	1,700	58½	56⅝	56⅝	58⅜
Union Bag and Paper Co.	......	......	......	12½	12½
do. preferred	......	......	......	77	77
United States Leather	900	12⅜	12½	12½	12⅜
do. preferred	1,900	89	87½	87⅜	88⅜
United States Rubber	......	......	......	16¼	16½
do. preferred	......	......	......	52½	52½
United States Steel	14,200	36⅜	36⅜	36½	36⅜
do. preferred	10,000	84⅛	83⅜	83⅜	83⅞
Western Union	1,900	88⅜	88	88⅛	89
American Locomotive	900	28⅝	27⅞	27⅜	29
do. preferred	700	91⅜	91	90½	91½
Kansas City Southern	1,000	32	31½	31½	31½
do. preferred	1,500	55½	54½	54½	54
Rock Island	31,400	46⅝	44⅜	44⅜	46½
do. preferred	22,600	84⅛	82½	83¼	83¼
Va.-Car. Chem. Co.	......	......	......	......	63⅜
do. preferred	......	......	......	124	124
Seaboard Air Line	......	......	......	27	27
do. preferred	......	......	......	45	44⅜
do. bonds	......	......	......	84	84

Total sales for the day, 866,700 shares.

CLOSING BOND QUOTATIONS.

U. S. refunding 2s registered	108¼
do. coupon	108¼
U. S. 3s, registered	108
do. coupon	108⅛
U. S. new 4s registered	135½
do. coupon	135½
U. S. old 4s registered	109⅝
do. 4s coupon	103⅜
U. S. 5s registered	103⅜
do. coupon	101⅝
Atchison, general 4s	101⅝
do. adjustment 4s	91¼
Baltimore and Ohio 4s	101
do. 3½s	95
do convertible 4s	104½
Canada Southern 2ds	107⅞
Central of Georgia 5s	107⅞
do. 1st income	75
do. 2d income	36¼
Chesapeake and Ohio 4½s	105
Chicago and Alton 3½s	79½

Chicago, B. and Quincy new 4s	95⅝
Chicago, M. and St. Paul general 4s	113
Chicago and Northwestern consol 7s	134
Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific 4s	108½
C., C., C. and St. Louis general 4s	101½
Chicago Terminal 4s	87
Colorado and Southern 4s	92
Denver and Rio Grande 4s	101
Erie prior lien 4s	98
do. general 4s	84⅛
Fort Worth and Denver City 1sts	114
Hocking Valley 4½s	108⅝
Louisville and Nashville unified 4s	101⅜
Mexican Central 4s	79
do. 1st income	26
Minneapolis and St. Louis 4s	103⅜
Missouri, Kansas and Texas 4s	100¼
do. 2ds	81¼
New York Central 1sts	102½
do. general 3½s	105
New Jersey Central general 5s	136½

Northern Pacific 4s	103
do. 3s	73
Norfolk and Western consol 4s	100½
Reading General 4s	96⅜
St. Louis and Iron Mountain consol 5s	114
St. Louis and San Francisco 4s	100
St. Louis Southwestern 1sts	96
do. 2ds	85½
San Antonia and Aransas Pass 4s	86
Southern Pacific 4s	93
do. 5s	119
Texas and Pacific 1sts	120⅜
Toledo, St. L. and Western 4s	79
Union Pacific 4s	104½
do. convertible 4s	105⅜
Wabash 1sts	116
do. 2ds	108½
do. Deb. B	76
West Shore 4s	173
Wheeling and Lake Erie 4s	92
Wisconsin Central 4s	91¼
Continental Tobacco 4s	63½

THE DAY IN WALL STREET.

New York, November 25.—Sentiment was rather mixed today, the irregular course of the market reflecting the many conflicting reports industriously circulated. Trading, while not especially light, was chiefly professional, outsiders holding off in view of the further advance of foreign exchange and the reported conflict between large railroad interests. Traders showed a disposition to keep out of the market pending the publication of President Roosevelt's annual message, in which important recommendations regarding trust and tariff legislation are looked for. Foreign exchange advanced to the highest point yet reached in the present upward movement. Demand bills sold up to $4.87.40. The price soon declined 10 points, however, at which level most of the day's business was done. Much of the demand was due to arrangements to meet obligations maturing in connection with the London settlement on Thursday, as well as some syndicate payments which fall due abroad this week. While gold exports are now within easy range of negotiations, efforts are being made to forestall a movement, provided the offerings of finance bills will sufficiently depress the rate to make paper remittances the cheapest medium of exchange. The struggle for control of Colorado Fuel and Iron is a puzzle to most veterans of the financial district, but it is not believed that the apparent differences between the contending parties will involve the various railroad properties in which they are interested. Nevertheless heaviness was shown during the day by Missouri Pacific and Union Pacific, as well as by other Gould and Harriman stocks. Rumor was again busy with Manhattan, and that stock was most irregular, opening with a fractional decline, advancing over 2 per cent, then selling off over 3 per cent, then up over 4 points to 155½, and closing with a net gain of less than a point on heavy trading. There were reports that a "deal" had been closed, but no verification was obtainable. Declines were general at the opening, New York Central, St. Paul, Union Pacific, Reading, Sugar and other active issues selling off more or less extensively. The movement in Manhattan soon brought a better tone with moderate rallies in the standard issues. Colorado Fuel was in early demand at a better price, and the late course of that stock was little short of sensational, with an advance of over 6 per cent and a net gain of 2 points. A sharp selling movement followed the rally with declines of a point or more in nearly all the leading issues. Manhattan's erratic course continued and the other tractions were heavy, as were also Sugar and Amalgamated Copper. Premature reports concerning the coal strike settlement exerted a brief favorable influence, but some uneasiness was shown at this time at the sale of a block of 5,000 shares of Union Pacific preferred by Gould brokers. There was considerable liquidation, chiefly in the stocks in which Colorado Fuel interests are identified. Heavy purchases of Reading around 61 attracted attention, but that stock was among the principal sufferers in the selling movement at the close, with important losses in New York Central, Baltimore and Ohio, St. Paul, Missouri Pacific and Union Pacific. There were unimportant rallies and the tone of the market at the close was steady.

Bonds showed heaviness in sympathy with stocks, and Wabash debenture Bs developed exceptional weakness. Total sales, par value, $1,955,000.

United States 3s coupon advanced 1-8 per cent on the last call.

Money on call firm at 4@5 per cent, closing at 4@4½ per cent; time money steady; 60 days 6 per cent; 90 days 6 per cent; six months 5½; prime mercantile paper 5½@6 per cent.

Sterling exchange firm with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.67.25 for demand and $4.83.60 for 60 days; posted rates $4.85½@4.88; commercial bills $4.83@4.83½.

Bar silver 47 7-8c.
Mexican dollars 37½c.
Government bonds steady.
State bonds weak.
Railroad bonds weak.

Atlanta Brokerage Co.'s Stock Letter.

New York, November 27.—The opening was rather easy this morning. A good demand developed for all the specialties and the pool stocks and the latter advanced appreciably. Manhattan was a distinct feature, though there was no definite news to account for the advancing tendency of the shares, and many put it down to manipulation. There was a great deal of attention given to Colorado Fuel and Iron on account of the reported differences between Harriman and the Gould interests, and while Colorado Fuel and Iron advanced sensationally the various Pacific stocks, controlled by these interests, were closely watched. On the higher levels the general market did not appear to act right, and professionals were inclined to sell, though they steered clear of the specialities. Business grew dull later on and was without feature.

The Treasury Statement.

Washington, November 27.—Today's treasury balances, exclusive of the gold reserve, show: Available cash balances $201,286,209; gold $113,549,037.

Murphy & Co.'s Stock Letter.

New York, November 25.—The market today was slightly irregular on a continued large volume of trading. Speculation ran to special issues with the result that the dealings were badly disturbed. The principal depressing influence was the apprehension excited by the controversy over Colorado Fuel and Iron. The favorable factors were continued ease in money on call, rumors that official announcement would almost immediately be made regarding the Manhattan lease deal and the announcement from Washington o fthe fact that the principal points at issue in the coal controversy had been settled. In the late afternoon the market weakened by rumors of imminent gold exports. Manhattan continued prominent and variable in its fluctuations with a net gain of 1 per cent. The fluctuations in Colorado Fuel and Iron covered a range of 5 1-2 points and closed 2 per cent better than last night. In the afternoon a brief rally in Reading was followed by a recession to the lowest of the day. The market closed heavy, but slightly above the lowest prices.

Local Bonds and Stocks.

	Bid.	Asked.
Atlanta 4s, 1923	107	....
Atlanta 6s, 1914	120	....
Atlanta 7s, 1904	123	....
Savannah 5s, 1909	107½	108¾
Savannah 5s, 1913	108	109
Macon 4½s, 1926	111	....
Macon 6s, 1910	114	....
Augusta 4s, 1927	103	....
Augusta 6s, 1921	115	....
Augusta 6s, 1913	113	....
Columbus 5s, 1909	104	....
Columbus 4½s, 1937	107	....
STATE BONDS.	**Bid.**	**Asked.**
Georgia 3½s, 1930	109	....
Georgia 4s, 1926	116	....
Georgia 4½s, 1915	116	....
Georgia 4½s, 1922	121	....
Alabama, class A	104	....
Alabama, class B	103	....
Alabama, class C	100	....
RAILROAD BONDS.	**Bid.**	**Asked.**
Georgia railroad 5s, 1922	109	....
Georgia railroad 6s, 1910	114	....
Georgia railroad 6s, 1922	120	....
Central of Ga. first 5s, 1946	118	....
Central of Ga. Col. Trust 5s, 1937	102	104
Central of Ga. consol 5s, 1945	108	110
Central of Ga. first incomes	83	85
Central of Ga. second incomes	38	40
Central of Ga. third incomes	25	27
Southern Ry. first 5s, 1994	120	124
Ga. Pacific first 6s, 1922	125	128
Seaboard 4s, 1950	86	88
Seaboard guar. 5s, 1902	102	104
Seaboard 10 year 5s	102	104
RAILROAD STOCKS.	**Bid.**	**Asked.**
Ga. R. R. and Bkg. Co.	225	....
Southwestern	121	122½
Augusta and Savannah	115½	....
Atlanta and West Point	156	....
Southern Railway preferred	94	96
Southern Railway common	36	38
Seaboard preferred	48	50
Seaboard common	30	32
STREET RAILWAYS.	**Bid.**	**Asked.**
Atlanta Con. St. Ry. 5s, 1939	105	107
Mobile Light and R. R. consol 5s, 1941	92½	93
Mobile Light and R. R. stock	24	26

The London Wool Market.

London, November 25.—The sixth series of the 1902 wool auction sales opened today. The attendance was large. Competition was active and prices were firm. The offerings numbered 9,840 bales. American buyers secured a few lots of Cape of Good Hope and Natal. Sales in detail:

New South Wales, 1,500 bales; scoured 7d@1s 1d; greasy 4 1-4d@1s 1d.

Queensland, 1,300 bales; scoured 1s 4d; greasy 6d@11d.

Victoria, 90 bales; scoured 10 1-2d@1s 8 1-2d; greasy 4 1-2@1s 1 1-2d.

South Australia, 300 bales; scoured, 10 1-2d@1s 2 1-2d; greasy 7 1-4d@8d.

West Australia, 1,200 bales; greasy 3d@10d.

New Zealand, 4,800 bales; soured 5d@13s 1 1-2d; greasy 4d@1s 1-2d.

Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 800 bales; suoured 8 1-2d@1s 8d; greasy 3 1-2d@11d.

Punta Arenas, 100 bales; greasy 5 3-4d@7 3-4d.

Cotton Seed Oil and Meal.

New York, November 25.—Cotton seed oil unchanged, being firm on spot and steady for forward delivery. Prime crude here nominal; prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 28@29c; prime summer yellow 36@37c; off summer yellow 35 1-2c; prime white 40c; prime winter yellow 40@40 1-2c; Prime meal $26.50, nominal.

Memphis, November 25.—Cotton Seed Oil—Carloads per gallon, prime crude 29@29 1-2c; off crude nominal prime summer yellow 31 1-2@32c; off summer yellow nominal; choice cooking summer yellow, less than carload lots, nominal. Meal—Prime $20.75@21.00. Cake, $20.75@21.00.

New Orleans, November 25.—Cotton Seed Oil—Prime refined in barrels 33 1-2c; off refined in barrels 32c; prime crude, loose, 28c.

Coffee and Sugar.

New York, November 25.—Coffee futures opened steady 5@10 points lower, being unfavorably affected by weakness abroad, local liquidation and bear speculation. Later in the day there was a further recession of 5 points on the general list, due to advices of an increasing interior movement which checked the earlier demand of a profit taking nature and induced shorts to add to their commitments. Europe sold here today and bulls liquidated near months, switching over to later positions. The business of this class constituted a large proportion of the total sales; closed steady net 10@15 points lower; sales 80,750 bags; December 4.50@4.60; February 4.70; March 4.90; April 4.95; May 5.05@5.15; July 5.20; August 5.35; September 5.35@5.40; October 5.40@5.45. Coffee, spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice 5 3-8; mild steady; Cordova 7 3-4@12.

Sugar, raw firm; fair refining 3 5-8; centrifugal 3 13-16; molasses sugar 3 1-16.

New Orleans, November 25.—Sugar active and firm; open kettle 2 5-8@3 3-16; open kettle centrifugal 3 7-16@3 11-16; centrifugal whites 3 7-8@4; yellows 3½@4; seconds 2 1-8@3 5-16. Molasses steady; open kettle 20@33; centrifugal 9@22. Sirup 20@25. Coffee, Rio ordinary to fair 5 7-8@7 1-8. Rice, screenings 2 3-4@3½; head 4 5-8@5; fancy head 5½@6.

Atlanta Brokerage Co.'s Grain Letter.

Chicago, November 25.—Wheat was helped early in the day by rather unfavorable weather and bullish advices from the northwest, together with indications for smaller receipts. Evidences of fresh buying on the part of certain interests close to the Armour crowd caused the shorts of recent creation to seek cover, and the demand from this source served to encourage support from longs. The market naturally recovered from the lower levels, but on the advances there was fresh selling, though most of the long wheat coming out was well taken.

Corn—Lower cables from the English market and heavier receipts than looked for caused increased free selling in the corn pit early today. The December option was erratic throughout the day and fluctuated in very uncertain fashion. The trade, however, was not very extensive, many being disposed to hold off in view o fthe forthcoming holiday.

Oats—There was no special feature in the oats pit. There was a fair cash demand, which encouraged speculative holders in a measure, but there was a general disposition to follow the lead of other cereals.

Trade in provisions was light. There was a little selling on the better levels. Packers continue to look for improvement in the cash business.

WHEAT OPENED EASIER IN TONE

On Lower Cables, Liberal Northwest Receipts and Weak Markets.

CLOSE WAS ABOUT STEADY

December Lost 1-4c—December Corn Erratic with a Lower Tendency. Oats Dull—Provisions Dull, but Steady at the Close.

Chicago, November 25.—Wheat was active and easier early in the session today, but later became rather dull, while prices were slightly better, the close being about steady with December 1-4c lower; December corn closed 5-8 lower, with oats unchanged. January provisions closed from 2 1-2c lower to 5@7 1-2c down.

The buying of a million bushels of both December and May wheat by the leading bull operator was the chief feature of the market and proved to be a sustaining factor in the situation, the close being steadier after an easier opening. The pit news was generally bearish, lower cables, liberal receipts in the northwest, together with weak markets, causing weakness during the first part of the day. Rumors that the leader on the long side had sold enormous holdings through brokers, though probably erroneous, counterbalanced to a large extent the good effect of the buying by the same interest and kept the majority of traders in a quandary as to the exact condition of affairs. The close was about steady, with December 1-4c lower at 74 1-2c. The opening was unchanged to 1-4c lower at 74 1-2@74 3-4c, and on general selling declined to 73 5-8c, but advanced again and held steady. May closed a shade higher at 76 1-4, after selling between 75 5-8@76 3-8. Bradstreet's world's visible for the week showed an increase of 4,738,000 bushels compared with an increase of 6,941,000 bushels a year ago. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 419,300 bushels. Primary receipts were 1,626,800, against 1,453,200 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis and Duluth reported receipts of 1,201 cars, which, with local receipts of 217, 26 of contract grade, made total receipts for the three points of 1,418 cars, against 929 last week and 1,365 a year ago.

December corn was again very erratic with a lower tendency, while May was about steady. There was free selling of December early on lower cables and increased receipts, but at the decline the market received good support on commission house buying and prices rallied. May was in good demand all day and the close was only 1-8c lower at 42 1-2c, after ranging between 42 3-8@42 3-4c. December opened 7-8@1 1-8c lower at 52 3-4c and closed 5-8c lower at 53c, after ranging between 52 1-4@52 3-4c. Local receipts were 589 cars, 22 contract.

Oats opened dull and was featureless with prices firm on a fair general demand. December closed unchanged at 31 1-2@31 5-8, after selling between 31 1-4@31 3-8 and 31 3-4c. May was also unchanged at 32 1-8c, after selling between 31 7-8@32c and 32 1-4c. Local receipts were 200 cars.

Provisions were inactive at a trifle decline in prices, the lower prices at the yards being responsible for the weaker tone. A fair demand for lard and ribs caused a little advance, but realizing brought about a decline and the close was about steady with January pork 5c lower at $15.62 1-2, January lard closed 5@7 1-2c lower at $9.35@9.37 1-2, with ribs 2 1-2c lower at 8.10.

Estimated receipts tomorrow: Wheat, 90 cars; corn, 195 cars; oats, 130 cars; hogs, 40,000 head.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
November	.....	.....	.....	74¼
December	74¾	74¾	73⅝	74½
May	76	76⅜	75⅝	76¼
CORN—				
November	.....	.....	.....	53
December	52¾	53¼	52¼	53
May	42¾	42¾	42⅜	42½
OATS—				
Dec., new	31½	31¾	31⅜	42½
May	32	32¼	32	32¼
MESS PORK—				
January	15.60	15.65	15.55	15.62½
May	14.62½	14.67½	14.57½	14.67½
LARD—				
November	10.40	10.40	10.37½	10.37½
December	9.80	9.85	9.80	9.85
January	9.37½	9.40	9.35	9.37½
May	8.70	8.72½	8.70	8.72½
SRORT RIBS—				
January	8.05	8.10	8.05	8.10
May	7.85	7.87½	7.82½	7.87½

Aritcles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	17,400	6,800
Wheat, bushels	130,200	124,000
Corn, bushels	296,000	163,800
Oats, bushels	175,500	399,100
Rye, bushels	20,700	48,200
Barley, bushels	164,800	8,300

Murphy & Co.'s Grain Letter.

Chicago, November 25.—The wheat market has shown a rather firm tone today. There was weakness early, especially in December, but support from Armour on the break generally checked declines and buying by the local crowd caused a recovery of the loss. There was a big trade, and the action of Armour was hard to follow. The impression prevailed that there were buying orders and selling through brokers at the same time. Some of the large commission houses were best sellers. Late the market was somewhat inclined to dullness, but steady, closing a little lower than yesterday. The seaboard reported 40 loads taken for export. News was rather bearish. Large receipts, good weather, small clearances and less cash demand, although cash prices were firm. France is buying wheat here and there is fair continental demand for cheap grades. Australia is still in the market for fine grades.

December corn was nervous and erratic, showing decided weakness early in selling, but gaining strength as the day advanced, recovering the loss, but eased off again toward the close, but closed fairly steady. Armour offered fair support, and there was good buying by Harris, but the crowd thought Armour was a late seller. May was firm nearly all day. There were a few sympathetic declines, but the demand was good, and this option recovered easily, closing about unchanged. Trade was not large. The selling was principally on increased receipts and lower cables. Cash demand continues good. The seaboard reported 18 loads taken for export.

There was not much interest taken in oats today. Commission houses sold May early, but there was the fair scattered demand for both December and May, and the market held firm. Cash inquiry was a little better than yesterday.

A large run of hogs and little selling of provisions eased the market, but brokers supported the market and a good demand for lard and ribs changed the weak tone into one of firmness, but profit taking caused another decline, and the close was steady.

R. M. Seale & Co.'s General Market Letter.

Atlanta, November 25.—Cotton—The attitude of Liverpool today was characterized more by indifference than serious interest in the nature of events. The advance in spots and deliveries in the English market was restricted to about 2 points, which was a small response to the American advance of yesterday. Cables reported free selling today, and it appears difficult to convince foreigners that the crop conditions are not as flattering as has been stated, which, if proven correct, will result in a rapid conversion. Forecast is for clearing weather in Texas, on which reports bears were extended greater freedom than for some time past. There was a steady undertone, however, throughout the day. In consequence of clearing weather in Texas, Liverpool, unwilling to follow our advance and moderate liquidation here, resulted in declines of from 11 to 12 points. A report was circulated that Latham, Alexander & Co., of New York, estimated the crop at 11,000,000 bales. The publication of estimates, however, has little effect on individual opinions about the size of the crop, which are as wide apart as ever. The main feature calling for observation on the long side is the establishment of premiums on each succeeding month of delivery, which practically obligates the speculative buyer to carry such spots that cannot find ready disposal at present to the regular trade.

Stocks—The London market displayed heaviness, but bought in a small way on balance. There was selling at the start of Sugar, Manhattan, Misouri Pacific and St. Paul, while the Coalers were heavy with Reading working down over the unsettled condition regarding the labor settlement, although it was reported later that an amicable agreement had been reached. The open rupture between the Goulds and the Hawley-Harriman party over Colorado Fuel and Iron led to competitive buying, accompanied with a sharp advance in the stock which, however, did not hold. Manhattan was bid up on buying by Rockefeller, Jr., and the Gould interests. Trading was largely professional except in Manhattan and Colorado Fuel and Iron. During the afternoon call money was held at 5 per cent. Declines were numerous with the market inclined to dullness. There is a probability that gold will be shipped on Thursday, and should it prove that engagements have been made considerable pressure on tomorrow's market will be witnessed.

Wheat—The market was weak at the start, owing to a stiff decline in Argentine and Liverpool, while the buying by the northwest and southwest. Armour sold December, but was a large buyer of May openly, although the crowd at first were skeptical, thinking that interest was selling through commission houses, but before the close of the session it was accepted as a fact that Armour had absorbed a large part of the May sales, and export demand with France again in the market, and we regard this as a strong feature. There can hardly be a question but that purchases of wheat will bring good profit.

Corn—December rallied early on rather free offerings and shorts covering, while January was sold by a local broker. Armour was a buyer of December as well as May. We believe the movement from now on will be increased and would not be surprised to see lower prices.

Oats—There was commission house buying of May in a small way, while values showed but few changes. Certain parties here in the trade are trying to work up bullish sentiment, but with the stock of 4,000,000 bushels in all we do not think there will be any scarcity.

Provision—Hogs were in good supply and lower, but the market was very narrow. Shorts covered early, while packers were on both sides of the market. We favor purchases of lard and ribs on soft spots.

Flour, Grain and Meal.

Atlanta, November 25.—Flour, Diamond patent $4.75; second patent $4.20; straight, $3.70@3.80; extra fancy, $3.30; fancy, $3.30. First patent spring wheat, $4.75. Corn, choice white, 68c; No. 2 white 67c; No. 2 mixed 66c. Oats, white clipped 48c; No. 2 white 46c; No. 2 mixed 42c; No. 3 mixed 41c; Bran, $1.00. Brown shorts $1.15; white shorts $1.40. Rye 65c bushel. Barley 95c bushel. Victor food $1.35 per 100 lbs; Quaker food $1.25. Choice large bale hay $1.00; No. 1 small 95c; No. 2 small 90c. Plain corn meal 78c; bolted 72c. Cotton seed meal $1.25 per 100 lbs; Hudnut's grits $1.85.

New York, November 25.—Flour steady but less active. Wheat, No. 2 red 77 3-8; options were unsettled and easy half the session, but firm in the afternoon on prominent Chicago support, rumors of insect damage in Indiana, covering and export rumors. Early selling motives consisted of weak cables, bearish Argentine news and large receipts; closed steady and unchanged; May 79 7-8; December 80 1-8. Corn, spot weak; No. 2 63 in elevator and 64 f.o.b. afloat; options sold off at first under liquidation, increasing receipts, the wheat decline and lower cables. Rallying later on covering the market finally eased off on a break in cash corn and closed 1-4@7-8c net lower; May 47 5-8; July 46 3-8; November 63 3-4; December 59 1-2. Oats, spot steady; No. 2 36; options steady all day on a light movement; December 37.

St. Louis, November 25.—Flour steady. Wheat steady; No. 2 red cash and elevator 68 3-8; track 69 1-2@70 1-2; December 68@68 1-8 bid; May 73 3-8 bid; No. 2 hard 66@71. Corn lower; No. 2 cash 43 3-8; track 44@44 1-4; December 43 3-8 asked; May 39 1-8. Oats firm; No. 2 cash 31 bid; track 31 1-2; December 30 1-4 bid; May 30 1-4 bid; No. 2 white 33 1-2.

Chicago, November 25.—Cash quotations were as follows: Flour steady. No. 2 spring wheat 72 1-2@73; No. 2 red 73 1-2@74 3-4. No. 2 corn 52; No. 2 yellow 53. No. 2 oats 31 1-2; No. 2 white 37@37 3-8; No. 3 white 31 1-4@31 3-4. No. 2 rye 39 1-4.

Cincinnati, November 25.—Flour dull. Wheat easier; No. 2 red 7. Corn easier and lower; No. 3 mixed 45@46. Oats easier; No. 2 mixed 32 1-2@33.

Provisions.

Atlanta, November 25.—Clar ribs sides, boxed 11.11 3-4; half ribs 11.12; bellies 11.13; ice cured bellies, 19 1-2c. Sugar cured hams 15c; California hams, 11@12. Lard, 11 3-4c; compound, 8 3-8c.

New York, November 25.—Lard easy; refined quiet; continent 1.15. Pork quiet; family $19.00@19.25.

St. Louis, November 25.—Pork steady; jobbing, standard mess, $17.35. Lard lower at 10.27 1-2. Dry salt meats steady; boxed extra shorts and clear ribs 10.25; short clears 10.50. Bacon steady; boxed extra shorts and clear ribs 1.50; short clear 11.75.

Chicago, November 25.—Mess pork 16.75@16.87 1-2. Lard 10.37@10.40. Short ribs sides (loose) 9.00@9.25; dry salted shoulders (boxed) 9.37@9.50; short clear sides (boxed) 9.25@9.50.

Cincinnati, November 25.—Lard easier at 10. Bulk meats quiet at 10.50. Bacon easy at 12.25.

Groceries.

Atlanta, November 25.—Coffee, per 100 pounds, Arbuckles $10.30; Lion $10.25; Cordova, $10.05; Blue Ribbon, $10; green coffee, choice, 10c; fair, 8c; prime, 6c. Sugar, standard granulated, 5c. Sirup, New Orleans open kettle, $3.00@4.65; mixed, choice, 20@28c; south Georgia cane, 32@35. Salt, dairy sacks, $1.30@1.40; barrel, bulk, $2.50; ice cream, $1.25; common, 55@60c. Cheese, fancy, full cream, twins 14; singles 14 1-2. Matches, 15s, 45 2-4@55; 200s, $1.50@1.75. Soda, Arm and Hammer, $3.75. Crackers, soda, 6c; cream, 7c; ginger snaps, 6 1-4c. Pie peaches, $1.75; table peaches, $2.75@3. Canned tomatoes, $2. Canned corn, $1.80@1.90. Best mince meat, 10c lb.; choice, 7c lb. Oysters, F. W., $1.75; L. W., $1.20. Fancy head rice, 7c; head rice, 6c. White fish, 60 lb keg, $2.75; white fish, 100 lb kegs, $4.40; mullet fish, 80 lb kegs, $4.50; pigs' feet, 40 ¼ kegs, $1.90; macaroni, 7c lb; pork sausage, 8 1-2c lb; Bologna sausage, 7c. Sardines, oil, case, $3.75; sardines, mustard, $3.50; salmon case, $3.50@5.50. Jellies, 30-lb pails, 4c lb. Pepper sauce, doz., 60c; Worcester, doz. 85c; catsup, pints, dozen, 85c; mustard, dozen, 90c; krout, 15 gallon kegs, $2.75. Pickles, 15 gallon 600s, $5.50.

Country Produce.

Atlanta, November 25.—Eggs, fresh, 22 to 23c; storage stock, 18 to 19c per dozen. Butter, Georgia fresh 15@16c; Tennessee 18@20c; Jersey 20@22 1-2. Live poultry, hens 30@33c; fries, large 20 to 22 1-2; medium 16@18, small 12@14, Ducks, puddle, 25; Pekin, 30. Live Turkeys, 10 to 11c. Dressed poultry, hens, 10@11c per pound; fries, 12c pound; cocks 7@8c pound; turkeys 12 to 15c pound. Quails 12 1-2 to 15c each. Opossums, 12 1-2 to 15c lb. Rabbits and squirrels 10@12c each. Onions $1.00@1.10 bu. Cabbage 90c@$1 per 100 pounds. Irish potatoes, northern 80@85c bu.; Tennessee and Virginia 70@75c bu. Sweet potatoes 40@50c bu. Peas, white $1.50@1.60 bu.; do lady $1.75@2.00; stock $1.00@1.10. Dried fruit, Georgia apples 5c lb; do. peaches 4@5c; do. peeled 10@12 1-2c. California dried peaches 7c lb. Celery per dozen 30@40c. Navy beans $2.90@3 per bu. Butter beans 6@6 1-2. Turnips, rutabaga 1c lb. Beeswax 20 to 22c lb. Honey in comb 8@10c lb; in frames, 10@12c lb; strained 6@7c lb.

Fruits and Confections.

Atlanta, November 25.—Apples: Fancy $3.25 to $3.50; choice $2.75 to $3.00; cooking $2.00 to $2.50. do bulk 65@70c bu. Oranges—Florida, 126s to 150s $2.50; Florida 176s to 200s, $3.00. Tangarine oranges $5 to $6 box. Grape fruit, $5 to $6 box. Lemons, fancy, $4@4.50; choice, $3.50@4. Grapes—5 lb Catawbas, 20c. Malaga grapes, $6.00 to $6.50 per bbl. Bananas, per bunch, culls, $1 to $1.25; straights, $1.50 to $1.75. Nuts—Walnuts, No. 1 12 1-2c; No. 2 11c; almonds, 15c, pecans 10 1-2c to 11c; Brazils, 11@11 1-2c; mixed nuts 12 1-2c. Peanuts, Virginia, 4 1-2 to 6. Georgia, 4c. Cocoanuts, per 100, $3.50. Pineapples, $3.50@4 crate. Dates, 60 lb boxes, 6@6 1-2c lb; packages 7 1-2c. Figs, 13 1-2@14c. Citron, 15c. Raisins xx $1.75 per box; xxx $1.85 per box. Prunes, small, 5@6; large, 6@7 1-2. Candy, common stick, 6c lb; mixed, 6 1-2c. Cranberries, barrel, $9.50@10; gallon, 40c.

Naval Stores.

Savannah, November 25.—Turpentine firm at 50 1-2; receipts 1,797; sales, 1,5[illegible]; exports 115. Rosin firm; receipts [illegible]; sales 3,225; exports 310. Quote: A, B, C, D $1.40; E $1.45; F $1.50; G $1.60; H $1.[illegible]; I $2.05; K $2.25; M $3; N $3.50; window glass $3.75; water white $4.15.

Wilmington, November 25.—Spirits turpentine firm at 50 1-2; receipts 10 casks. Rosin firm at $1.30@1.35; receipts 29. Crude turpentine firm at $1.75@3.00; receipts [illegible]. Tar firm at $1.50; receipts 59.

Charleston, November 25.—Turpentine and rosin unchanged.

The Liverpool Grain Market.

Liverpool, November 25.—Wheat, spot firm; No. 2 red western winter 5s 1[illegible]d; No. 1 northern spring 6s 7d; No. 1 California 6s 7d; futures steady; December 5s 10 5-8d; March 5s 11 7-8d; May 6s 1d. Corn, spot quiet; American mixed 5s 1d; futures quiet; March 4s 2 1-2d.

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Talent Could Pick No Winners at Ingleside Track.

LODESTAR ONLY FAVORITE

To Get Under the Wire in Front. Puss in Boots, 15 to 1, and Sugden, 10 to 1, Were Among the Winners.

San Francisco, November 25.—Outsiders had their innings at Ingleside today, Puss In Boots, at 15 to 1, winning the second race at 5 furlongs, and Sugden, at 10 to 1, capturing the third race, a mile selling event. Vesuvian, an 8 to 1 shot, won the last race on the card, a 6-furlong handicap. Lode Star, in the fifth race, was the only winning favorite, though Artvis and Loyal S, second choices, captured the fourth and second events. Coburn landed one first and finished inside the money three times.

Weather clear and track good.

FIRST RACE—Selling, 7 furlongs: Loyal S, 109 (Ransch), 4 to 1, won; Ignacio, 107 (Sullivan), 30 to 1, second; Mike Rice, 109 (Prior), 25 to 1, third. Time 1:28 1-2. King Delis, Ravino, Coming Event, Imperious, Katie Walcott ran.

SECOND RACE—Five furlongs: Imp. Puss in Boots, 112 (Donovan), 15 to 1, won; Esherin, 112 (Coburn), 2 to 5, second; Penzance, 108 (Ransch), 8 to 1, third. Time 1:01 1-2. Anturn, Distrust, Edna Rose, Phyz, Dora Weir ran.

THIRD RACE—Mile, selling Sugden, 107 (Frawley), 10 to 1, won; Diomed, 104 (L. Jackson), 3 to 1, second; Bangor, 107 (Ransch), 7 to 1, third. Time 1:43. Formero, Stromo, Nannie Nolan, Rasp, Parsifal, Phil Archibald, Gawaine ran.

FOURTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles: Artvis, 100 (Donnelly), 2 to 1, won; Beau Ormonde, 115 (Coburn), 10 to 1, second; Kenilworth, 120 (L. Jackson), 4 to 5, third. Time 1:07 3-4. Shellmound, Stilicho, Sly, Fonsavannah ran.

FIFTH RACE—Selling, 1 1-8 miles: Lode Star, 111 (Ransch), even, won; Rio Shannon, 110 (Coburn), 4 to 1, second; Grafter, 106 (L. Jackson), 12 to 1, third. Time 1:56. Blessed Damosel, Learoyd, Artilla ran.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs, handicap: Vesuvian, 114 (Coburn), 8 to 1, won; Money Muss, 105 (Donnelly), even, second; Flush of Gold, 109 (Lewis), 6 to 1, third. Time 1:14 3-4. Narra G, Lord Badge, Water Cure, Eonic, Claude ran.

Today's Entries at Ingleside.

First Race—Futurity course, selling: Miss Madeline, Quizz II, Glissando, Frank Pearce, St. Rica, Miss Culver, Mocorito, 107; Breton, 108; Legal Maxim, Cathello, Montoya, Jim Roberts, 102; Ursula, 105; Young Morello, 110; MacAna, 97.

Second Race—One mile, selling: Expedient, Bob Palmer, Star Cotton, Rancer, Filibuster, 109; Black Thorne, El Pilar, 107; Rimrock, 112; Ignacio, 103; Autumn Time, 100.

Third Race—Five-eighths of a mile, purse: H. P. Cane, Sir Hugh, Sir Preston, Levant, Poacher, Ripper, No Friend, 107; Sampson Plunket, 111; Brummel, The Owl, Batidore, Border Mark, 110.

Fourth Race—One mile, selling: Horton, Antolee, 105; The Pride, Rollick, Nellie Forest, The Weaver, 106; Diderot, Hesper, 108; Gold One, 104; Dunblane, 108.

Fifth Race—Futurity course, selling: Berendos, Mountebank, Matt Hogan, The Miller, 107; February, Dollie Weithoff, Wardman, Ada N, Bedner, 110; Malaspina, Phyllis, 102; Sea Lion, 113.

Sixth Race—Eleven sixteenths of a mile, purse: Bucolic, 110; Gillie, 105; Proper, imp. Somenos, 113; Deutschland, Gold Van, Jockey Club, 108.

Today's Entries at Bennings.

First Race—Six furlongs: Pigeon Post, 111; Frank Kenny, 124; Cassville, Echodale, Paul Creyton, 119; Captivator, White Owl, Andalusian, Neither One, Roue, Valley Forge, Lady Teasle, 116; Maiden, 111; Ornature, 100; Latrobe, Glennevis, 96; Pinebrook, Dinksie, 93; Bernard, 91; Star and Garter, Criticism, 98.

Second Race—Mile: Sailmaker, Hist, Gates, Wheeler B, Lord Advocate, Ink, 107; Whiten, Bridesmaid, Jim Buck, Sweet Jane, 104.

Third Race—Five and a half furlongs: Cinque Valli, 115; Toscan, Nevermore, 110; Scoffer, Turnpike, Hackensack, Luck Day, 105; Clocha d'Or, Ancke, Captivator, Ahola, 102.

Fourth Race—One and one-sixteenth miles: Echodale, 117; Blackdick, 115; Benckart, 109; Meistersinger, H. L. Coleman, Mosketo, 107; Henry Clay Rye, 106; Flara, Anna Grace, Handicapper, Toddy, Double Dummy, 103; Shandonfield, 99; I Know, Paul Haker, 98; Wagram, 93; Blanche Herman, 90.

Fifth Race—Mile and an eighth: Arden, 116; Black Dick, 111; Dactyle, 108; Mosketo, 103; Trump, 98.

Sixth Race—Handicap, mile: Bonnibert, 124; Cameron, 120; Lux Casta, 116; Demurrer, 113; Gold Cure, G. Whittier, 112; Carbuncle, 110; Extinguisher, 109; Merriment, Smart Set, 108; April Shower, 107; Satire, 106; Himself, 105; Flying Jib, Ondurdis, 102; Bar le Duc, 99; Ohnet, 98; Florham Queen, Nevermore, 90; Ben Battle, 87; Hackensack, 85; Ancke, 84.

TECHS GO TO BIRMINGHAM.

Blacksmiths Will Tackle the Heavy Alabama Giants in That City Tomorrow.

The Tech team leaves over the Southern for Birmingham this afternoon at 4:15. In Birmingham the Blacksmiths will tomorrow encounter the heavey eleven from the University of Alabama in a game which promises to be one of the best of the season.

Alabama made a good showing against Georgia, holding the Crackers to one touchdown, and last Saturday only allowed the much touted Texas team to cross the goal line twice. The Techs know that they are up against a hefty proposition, but their game with Tennessee has given them great encouragement, and they are fully expecting victory.

Manager Rankin left yesterday for Birmingham to complete arrangements for the game. The Birmingham papers state that great interest is being taken in the contest, and that bets are even on the result.

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New Orleans, November 25.—Charley Ellison, the plunger, in the St. Charles hotel last night, offered Durnell & Hertz $20,000 for McChesney, the crack western colt. The offer was refused. The owners value him at $35,000.

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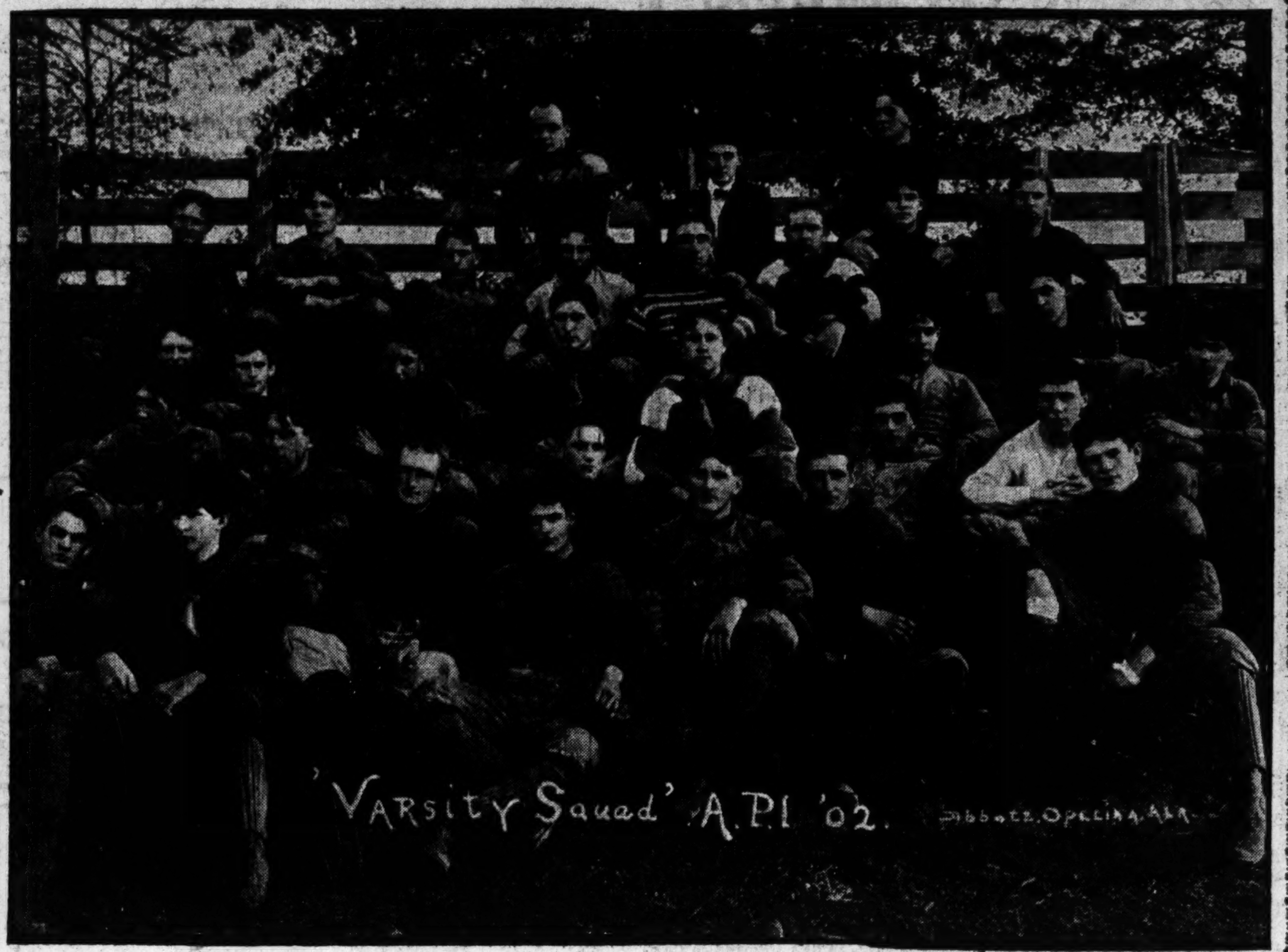
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THE annual Georgia-Auburn game which occurs at Piedmont park tomorrow afternoon promises to be the best game ever played by these inveterate rivals.

The records made by the two teams up to this time indicate that the contest will be very close. Both have shown strength in their contests with other teams, but neither is at all satisfied with its work so far, and there will be no overconfidence in either camp.

For the last ten days both teams have been hard at work in preparation for this contest, and each will go into the game prepared to do the very best work of which the men composing it are capable. Coach Reynolds, of Georgia, and Coach Kent, of Auburn, are both competent coaches and their instructions have been followed to the letter throughout the season. The teams will both be in excellent condition and will have nerve and grit to spare.

Nothing has as yet developed to throw the advantage to either team. In the general talk Auburn is favored on account of the divergency of the scores in the games played by Georgia and Auburn against Clemson and Sewanee. However, very few people have been found who are willing to give odds on Auburn.

Football experts who have watched the work of the two teams throughout the season say that the game is a toss up, and so far no man whose opinion is worth anything has ventured to make a prediction as to the result of the game other than to say that the contest will be close and hard fought.

Records of the Teams.

Clemson defeated Georgia, 36 to 0, and Auburn 16 to 0, but this is not taken to mean much, as the Georgia game was played in Clemson and the Auburn game in Auburn. A team's knowledge of a ground counts a great deal, and it is claimed by some that had Clemson played Georgia at Athens and Auburn at Clemson the results of the games might have been reversed.

The two games against Sewanee, which are being used as another basis of comparison, really tell very little as to the strength of the two teams. Neither were able to score against Sewanee, so no advantage in offense is apparent. Sewanee made two touchdowns against Georgia and only one against Auburn. The Georgia game was played in the mud, where weight counted a great deal, and in every scrimmage the heavy Sewanee men could push the light Crackers for good gains.

Auburn defeated Tech, 18 to 6, and a week later downed Alabama by a score of 23 to 0. Georgia followed Auburn against each team after an interval of two weeks, winning from Alabama, 5 to 0, and tieing Tech, the score being 0 to 0. While Georgia could not score on Tech it is also to be remembered that while Tech scored against Auburn the Blacksmiths could never cross the Cracker line. Alabama did no more against Georgia than she did against the Pirates, though her team had had two weeks more practice and was greatly improved as her later games have showed.

In the games played this year Auburn has defeated Tech and Alabama; tied Tulane and lost to Louisiana, Sewanee and Clemson. Georgia has won from Furman, Alabama and Davidson; tied Tech and lost to Clemson and Sewanee. It is a fact of interest that Auburn has not scored since the Alabama game on October 18, while since that date Georgia has won from two strong teams.

These facts are given for the benefit of those who wish to indulge in comparisons, but in the opinion of those who have watched southern football closely this fall, and are in a position to know, they offset one another to such an extent that is is practically impossible to tell anything about how the game will come out.

Great Contest Expected.

Nevertheless it is going to be a great contest and a great time is promised those who go out to the game. Almost the entire student body of each institution will be on hand. The Red and Black and the Orange and Blue will wave in proud defiance from many a fair hand—and from many a husky one, too, for that matter. The game will be quite a society event among the younger society people of the city and for the alumni of the two schools will be a short relapse into the days of college joys.

Governor and Mrs. Terrell will attend the game in a carriage elaborately decorated in Georgia colors. A number of other celebrities will also be out, among them Bobby Walthour and Jack Prince. Both teams will be represented by sponsors, and, in fact, everything will be arranged so as to make the contest just what it should be.

Manager Heyward, of Georgia, and Manager Alford, of Auburn, have been in Atlanta all the week advertising the game and expect to have the largest crowd out that has ever attended a football game in Atlanta. Both managers have received assurances from alumni all over Georgia and Alabama that they will be on hand when the game begins.

The two teams are somewhat behind in their finances and they hope to make good on Thursday's game. Georgia lost heavily on the Sewanee game, played in Atlanta on Tuesday, November 18. The weather was threatening and the game was witnessed by only a handful of people. The managers are exerting every effort to get all lovers of football out to the game and say that they feel confident that they will present the best exhibition of football ever put up in Atlanta.

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Pass Under the Wire in Front—Red Damsel and Benckart the Only Actual Favorites To Win. the Winners of Events Yesterday.

Washington, November 25.—The steady rain of last night and today made the track at Benning a sea of mud. Only the regulars made the journey to witness the card. Despite the large number of scratches and the comparatively small fields the talent found it hard to pick winners. Only two actual favorites, Red Damsel and Benckart, secured firsts. Circus, the equal choice favorite in the last race, won. Jockey J. Johnson, on Walter Cleary, the favorite in the steeplechase, received a bad fall, but was fortunate enough to escape with a good shaking up. Redfern rode three winners.

FIRST RACE—Seven furlongs: Red Damsel, 103 (Redfern), 11 to 5, won; Tribes Hill, 104 (Wonderly), 5 to 2, second; Carroll D, 102 (Creamer), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:31. Tenagra, Setauket, Wagram, The Goldfinder, Frank Love, Slidell, Sedition, The Stewardess, Nuptial ran.

SECOND RACE—Six and one-half furlongs: Sungold, 110 (Redfern), 13 to 5, won; Gloriosa, 107 (Wonderly), 6 to 5, second; Saccharometer, 110 (Rice), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:24 1-5. Tugal Rey, Illyria, Carlotta, Ahola and Flornam Queen ran.

THIRD RACE—Steeplechase, about two and one-half miles: Arius, 144 (Mara), 7 to 2, won; Marylander, 151 (Donohue), 5 to 1, second; Draughtsman, 148 (Mr. Harris), 10 to 1, third. Time, 5:39 2-5. Woolgatherer, Tireless, Kate Spotswood, Walter Cleary ran.

FOURTH RACE—Mile and a sixteenth: Benckart, 103 (Cochran), 8 to 5, won; Rough Rider, 107 (Wonderly), 3 to 1, second; Courtenay, 98 (Gannon), 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:54. Knight of the Garter, The Black Scot, Ben Howard, Animosity ran.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs: Right and True, 100 (McCafferty), 7 to 1, won; Earl of Warwick, 103 (Pollack), 8 to 1, second; Nevermore, 110 (Wonderly), even, third. Time, 1:17 3-5. Dark Planet, Scoffer, Nancy D, Nathan, Cincinnatus ran.

SIXTH RACE—Highweight handicap, one and one-eighth miles: Circus, 110 (Redfern), 7 to 5, won; Carbuncle, 134 (Wonderly), 7 to 5, second; Arrah Gowan, 107 (Michaels), 19 to 1, third. Time, 2:01. G. Whittier, Daly ran.

New Metropolitan Race Track.

New York, November 25.—The West Chester Racing Association announced today that it had secured a site for a new race track to take the place of the Morris park track, which will pass out of existence on January 1, 1904, on the expiration of the lease. The new track, which is to be called Belmont park, is situated near the station of Queens, L. I., just outside of the limits of Greater New York. The property covers 666 acres, on the cost and equipment of which it is intended to spend $1,500,000.

BOB WALTHOUR OBJECTS TO USE OF WIND SHIELDS

Declares It Will Give Butler and Maya a Great Advantage--Race Occurs at Coliseum Tonight.

BOBBIE WALTHOUR'S objection to the proposed wind shield for the motor known as Mike the Tramp, which is to pace Otto Maya in the great three-cornered paced race at the Coliseum tonight, was not well taken in the estimation of the cycle riders, and especially of Maya and Butler, the opponents of Walthour. These riders protest that Walthour is afraid of them under equal conditions and they have answered the protest to Representative Castle, of the board of control, in no measured terms. Maya and Butler say that Walthour used last summer a motor tandem which had all of the other motor tandems beaten a mile for protection and that now, when in his own city, he objects to other riders gaining a slight advantage over him.

They are very wroth over the objection of Walthour and Referee Castle yesterday advised with the chairman of the board of control in regard to the matter before giving his decision, which may not be made until tonight.

"Walthour does not want to be beaten in this race," said Otto Maya yesterday, "and he wants to place any damper he may upon our chances. Of course I know that wind shields have been used not at all on singles this year, but what of that. I contend that what may be done with pacing tandems may be done with singles."

Butler was also very decided in his opinions in the matter. When the trio met for their training at the Coliseum yesterday there was a rather warm discussion of the matter. Come what may, his opponents are determined to beat Walthour or to give him the race of his life tonight and they are leaving not one stone unturned to do that. Being the local rider, Walthour quite naturally has all of the sympathy of the local people and his friends will tonight rally to his standard and support him in the contention that the wind shield is illegal from first to last since the rules stipulate that not over 70 square inches may be used as a frontage to the gasoline tank and do not say that the width in a pacing single as in a tandem must not exceed 12 inches over all, arule made last summer to allow the pacing tandem of Walthour to be used. Walthour will simply refuse to stand for the inovation and there is likely to be a prolonged wrangle over the matter before the question is finally settled, Maya and Butler contending that no matter what the board of control may say now, they are going entirely on precedent in the matter and that that which was right with tandems is also right with singles.

Manager Prince yesterday announced that no matter what the weather might be the race would take place tonight, inasmuch as this is the closing of the season and many of the riders must depart so soon fter Tanksgiving day that a postponement could not be taken. Yesterday's sale of heats at 41 North Pryor street, in spite of the untoward weather, was a record-breaker, quite a number being in line when the doors were opened early in the morning.

It is probable that at the meet tonight the team mate of Walthour will be announced and added interest will be given the meet by the appearance of Maya and McFarland, Butler and Turville and Iver Lawson, men who will take part in the great New York contests.

The amateur race tonight will see Russell Elliott on scratch with his amateur opponents on comfortable marks out ahead of him.

In his training work out yesterday morning Walthour surpassed anything ever seen in the way of riding on an indoor track. He rode for 5 miles at an average of 1:29 to the mile and was ready for more. Such riding as that of yesterday entitles Walthour at any time to the race he covets most in New York, that against the winner of the Michael and Elkes race of December 6, for which Walthour, should he win tonight, will challenge for $500 a side and the winner to take all. This in itself will make tonight's contest the more interesting.

Good Races at Macon.

The committee of the Macon Jockey Club having charge of the matinee Thursday afternoon at Central City park will announce its programme tomorrow. Some of the best horses of the city are booked for the truf that afternoon, and the indications are that excellent races will be presented.

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WHITNEY FAILS TO GET MAHER

American Likes Marsh, King's Trainer, and Will Stay There.

Special Correspondence.

London, November 15.—There is extraordinary competition between race horse owners here to secure the services of American jockeys, and next year will probably witness a record in the salaries which they will be paid. William Whitney has been trying to get Maher, who rides the king's stable, but the relations between Maher and Marsh, the king's trainer, are so friendly that Maher probably would sacrifice a big sum rather than sever the connection. It is said in racing circles that Mr. Whitney, unable to secure Maher, has offered Redfern as much as $30,000 to ride for him here next season. The offer is the highest on record.

It was rumored that Maher had returned to America because he was disappointed with his success during the present season and that he did not intend to return here. But it is a fact that before he left he signed the necessary documents calling upon him to ride for the king next season and for Marsh's stable when eligible.

MERCER TEAM WILL NOT PLAY.

No Thanksgiving Football for Macon This Year.

Macon, Ga., November 25.—(Special.)—The Mercer football team will not appear on the gridiron Thanksgiving day. At first it was contemplated that the eleven would go to Jacksonville for a game with the Floridans, but as satisfactory arrangements could not be made, the game was called off. Then for a day or two a game with a team in the city was discussed, but again nothing came of it. The chairman of the athletic council at Mercer stated last night that the Mercer eleven would have nothing on Thanksgiving. Quite a number of football enthusiasts will be disappointed at passing a Thanksgiving without seeing a hard rush for a strong center.

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Tuesday, November 25, 1902.
ALBANY CIRCUIT.

A. L. Townsend et al. v. Eliza Brinson. Argued.

F. M. Ford v. Price & Lucas Cider and Vinegar Co. Submitted.

Palatine Insurance Company Limited v. Julia Dickenson. Argued.

B. B. Bower, trustee, v. Mayor and Council of Bainbridge. Argued.

B. B. Bower v. J. H. Patterson et al. Argued.

Julia Gibson v. Ariel Cook. Argued.

Sharpe & Drake v. C. S. Hodges, administrator. Argued.

W. M. Taylor et al., executors, v. T. C. Wainman. Argued.

Douglas Ford v. Fannie Toomer. Submitted.

J. L. Sumner v. S. J. Sumner. Argued.

T. W. Hammond v. J. B. George et al. Argued.

Announcement will hereafter be made of the next call of the Civil Docket.

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WILL HOLD FIELD TRIALS

Association Formed Last Night To Test Bird Dogs.

FIRST TRIAL AT WAYNESBORO

Georgia Field Trials' Association Is Formed with Prominent Georgia Sportsmen as Members.

The Georgia Field Trials Association, having for its object the testing of the field qualities of bird dogs and the advancement of sport with gun and dog, was organized at an enthusiastic meeting of prominent Georgia sportsmen held last night in room 104 Kimball house.

The association decided to hold its first trial at Waynesboro between January 15 and February 1 next year.

The formal organization was perfected by the election of the following officers: President, Judge H. W. Hopkins, of Thomasville, legislative representative from Thomas county; first vice president, T. R. Garlington, of Rome; second vice president, F. I. Stone, of Atlanta; secretary and treasurer, P. M. Essig, of Atlanta. Board of governors: C. D. Jordan, of Monticello; J. E. Miller, of Atlanta; H. M. McIntosh, of Albany; S. Grantland, of Griffin; Dr. Floyd W. McRae, of Atlanta; W. S. Elkin, Jr., of Atlanta, and State Senator W. H. Davis, of Waynesboro. Waynesboro was selected as the place for holding the trial, on invitation of Senator Davis.

A committee was appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws for the association and to prepare rules and regulations to govern the trial. The committee consists of Judge H. W. Hopkins, P. M. Essig and J. E. Miller. The board of governors will decide on the exact date for the trial.

Owners of some fine dogs were represented among members present at the meeting and a great deal of enthusiasm and sportsmanship was manifested during the proceedings.

One of the objects of the association is to promote sociability and a wider acquaintance among sportsmen. It is probable also that a movement will be started to better the game laws of the state.

Among those present last night were F. I. Stone, P. M. Essig, W. S. Elkin, Jr., J. E. Miller and A. J. Schneider, of Atlanta; Judge H. W. Hopkins, of Thomasville; C. D. Jordan, of Monticello; Senator W. H. Davis, of Waynesboro; Colonel J. W. Walters, of Albany; Dr. S. I. Gaulding, of Quitman, and W. L. H. Alford, of Willingham.

THEATERS.

Elsie de Wolfe and her company of New York players will appear tonight and Thanksgiving matinee and night at the Grand.

Reviewing a reecnt performance The Nashville News said:

"There was not a character in the play that was not capably handled, and three of the players at least displayed unusual brilliancy. The star, Miss Elsie de Wolfe, well sustained her reputation for perfection of acting. She is not beautiful nor has she a good stage voice, but her acting was polished and artistic from beginning to end. Nothing so good has been seen here this year and nothing better in many years. Few actresses in the country can express emotions without the use of words as Miss de Wolfe can. For this also John Mason is notable. In some of the best scenes between the two hardly a word was spoken, but the thoughts and feelings were written most legibly on their faces. It was wonderfully artistic."

Never before in the history of the theatrical situation of Atlanta have theatergoers been so enthusiastic over the reception of a theatrical organization as they have been with the Bijou Musical Comedy Company, Jake Well's superb musical comedy organization, the popular attraction that is making the "standing room only" sign a permanent fixture at the Bijou this week.

"Lost, Strayed or Stolen," the comic opera that the company has transformed into a rattling good musical comedy, is simply evidence of the ability of the company to make almost anything go; in fact, it is rumored that the company will at a future date, attempt a tragedy converted into a comedy.

Little Chip contributes no little to the great success of the work of the organization. He is the bright light in every production, and he is the same clever, sensible chap he has always been, absolutely a star. Miss Mary Marble, too, is a favorite and her reception at every appearance since the return of the company is evidence of that fact. Tony Hart, Agnes Scott, John Dunne, David Andrada, and the other favorites who made good last summer, are in good repute and all goes well.

The music that Hoffman is producing is of that delightfully refreshing and original, tuneful kind that characterizes all of his works, and the dances of the maidens are charmingly beautiful.

There will be big times at the Bijou Thursday at both performances. Seats are selling rapidly and as a special feature a big foot ball number will be introduced.

Brandon Hurst, Miss Lynden's leading man in "The Gay Lord Quex," which comes Friday—matinee and night—to the grand, has the somewhat unique honor, of being the only leading man in New York who could play John Hare's role in the famous comedy. He is the only born English leading man now in this country, and also the only man tall enough and sufficiently "Englishy" to assume the complex role of the roue "Quex."

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THANKSGIVING SERVICES.

Day Will Be Observed by Atlanta Churches—Unity Service at Jewish Temple.

Thanksgiving day will be observed in a fitting manner by the Atlanta churches. Special services will be held Thursday morning in nearly all the churches, while Thursday evening at 8 o'clock all the churches of the city will join in a union service at the Jewish temple.

This service will be something unique in the history of the city. It will be conducted by Dr. W. W. Landrum, pastor of the First Baptist church, and ministers of almost every denomiation in the city will take part. The people of the city, no matter of what sect or denomination, are invited to attend.

The programme arranged for the meeting is as follows:

"Rejoice, Rejoice in the Lord"—Choir and chorus.

Welcome extended the congregation by Rabbi David Marx, minister of the Temple.

Invocation—Dr. C. A. Langston.
Solo—Mrs. Mary O'Brien.
Thanksgiving Proclamation—Dr. H. S. Bradley.
"While the Earth Remains"—Choir and chorus.
Reading of Appropriate Psalms—Dr. G. W. Bull.
"Sanctus"—Choir and chorus.
Address—Dr. W. W. Landrum.
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"America"—Congregation.
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COMPLAIN OF SLOW CARS.

Patrons of Principal Lines Declare Speed of Street Cars Has Been Reduced.

The new schedules put into effect in the fourth ward yesterday by the Georgia Railway and Electric Company served to give some relief to the situation in that section of the city.

There is still complaint, however, from the Peachtree line because of the slow speed of the cars. It is declared by patrons that the schedules are so slow that a person can walk almost to the center of the city before being overtaken by a car. It is said that the motormen make no effort to run at a reasonably fast rate of speed when an opportunity presents itself. The result is that although the cars run every ten minutes, or thereabouts, it requires a greater length of time to make the trip. Similar complaints come from other lines.

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Body of Mrs. Inman Interred in Oakland Cemetery—Services at the Residence.

Funeral services over the body of Mrs. Walker P. Inman were conducted yesterday morning at 10 o'clock at the residence, 478 Peachtree street, by Rev. C. P. Bridewell, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, assisted by Rev. Richard Orme Flynn, pastor of the North Avenue Presbyterian church.

A large number of friends of the deceased attended the funeral. The two ministers spoke in beautiful terms of her life and character and the work she had accomplished. Many handsome floral designs were offered by loving hands as testimonials of the esteef in which Mrs. Inman was held by her friends. The interment was in Oakland cemetery.

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On Tuesday, December 2 (legal sale day), we will sell before the Court House door at 11 o'clock, two beautiful lots belonging the the estate of Jacob Kreis, situated on Whitehall Street between the residences of Judge E. B. Rosser and Mr. Jake Schane. Each lot fronts 60 feet and has a depth of 1?? feet to a 10-foot alley. The street in front has every convenience and improvement, including asphalt pavement and tiled side-walk, and while other parts of the city are complaining of street car service, the service in front of this property is absolutely unexcelled, the four different lines giving a headway of less than five minutes.

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DAILY MARKET REPORT.

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ever, on the better levels there was a considerable increase in offerings and the inclination of certain longs to secure profits resulted in a check to the betterment of values. The market in the later hours was less active, with the feeling mixed, and not a few interests were disposed to hold off pending a clearing of the situation.

Murphy & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

New York, November 25.—Cotton prices broke sharply in the early market. The main cause was disappointing cables. It was only natural that Liverpool should ease off after yesterday's substantial advance. There was no little selling pressure in all directions. This was in a measure accounted for by the absence of the big so-called clique who have apparently withdrawn from the market for some days. Rain and cold weather was reported in Texas and the southwest today. It was stated by Texas people that the entire southwest was in bad shape; that Arkansas was deteriorating like Texas; that all districts were short of last year with the sole exception of the Memphis district, and that a material advance in the market was certain when the true facts are known. Statisticians are pointing to a very moderate movement in the November in sight figures which will show some 400,000 bales or more less than in 1897 and 1898. Day after day evidence is accumulating of the shortage of their crop—that is to say, of the improbability of making much over 11,000,000 bales. The port receipts today pointed to 73,000, against 83,000 last year. The market rallied after the opening on a forecast of frost in the southwest. Cables were quiet at 1 point advance. Southern offers of spots were scarce.

Southern Exchange Cotton Letter.

New York, November 25.—Liverpool opened 4 to 5 points higher, but sold off 3 points immediately after the opening; became strong at these figures and closed on an average of 1 point above last night. Spots 4.60 for middlings; sales 7,000 bales.

The general sentiment this morning around the exchange was in favor of sales. Taking the Liverpool market into account, there was hardly anything to indicate a serious rise here. The opening was nervous at a drop of 5 to 6 from yesterday's closing bids. January was heavily sold at 8.38 and 8.39, and then trading became stagnant. In a few moments, reports of excessive moisture in numerous sections of the south began to come in over private wires, and the scalpers set about to scrape a few points both ways. It was then that January on a firmer appearance, selling at 8.43—which was the highest point reached before noon. Liquidation was the paramount issue at this juncture and after this had subsided the market became quiet, but prices were well maintained at about opening figures. Latham, Alexander & Co.'s estimate of 11,000,000 bales for the whole crop fell flat. Receipts today show an enormous decrease from those of last year today. Estimated Galveston tomorrow, 11,000 to 12,000 against 13,248 last year; New Orleans, 22,000 to 24,000 against 17,210 last year; Houston, 7,500 to 8,500 against 17,210 last year.

H. & B. Beer's Cotton Letter.

New Orleans, November 25.—Liverpool was influenced unfavorably by the decline in London silver and the poor spot demand. Our market, in sympathy, opened 9 to 10 points lower, but subsequently improved 7 to 8 points on the continuance of scattered rains in northern Texas and the expectation of freezing weather overnight. The issuance of an 11,000,000 crop estimate by Messrs. Latham, Alexander & Co., of New York, about this time was construed bearishly, causing a break of 12 to 14 points from the top. Fresh buying near the close occasioned steadiness, making the net loss 11@13 points on the day. Heavy rains have fallen over the central portion of the cotton belt during the past twenty-four hours. It is predicted that generally fair weather will prevail throughout this entire district tonight and Wednesday. Temperature will fall over the southeastern portion, otherwise changes will be slight. Frost is indicated for Oklahoma, northern Arkansas and the extreme northern portion of north Texas. Messrs. Latham, Alexander & Co.'s crop estimate of 11,000,000 had a marked effect on the market because they have always underestimated the actual outturn. In 1899 their estimate was 8,709,000 and the actual crop was 9,400,000; in 1900 they estimated the crop at 9,767,000 and the crop was 10,400,000; last year their estimate was 9,733,000 and the crop was 10,700,000. From the above it will be seen that their figures range from 600,000 to 1,000,000 under, consequently with such data the anticipation of a small estimate from the bureau has been offset to a considerable extent.

The prospect of clearing and colder weather in Texas and the easier feeling, together with the restricted demand for spots, were also instrumental in assisting the decline. No disposition is shown to sell cotton pending the bureau report and sentiment continues very bullish.

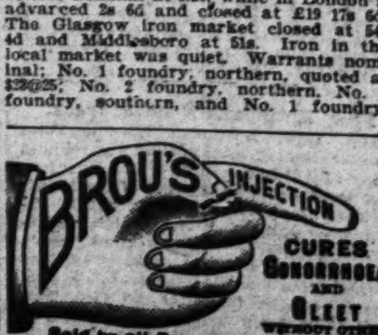
The Metal Market.

New York, November 25.—There was a sharp break in the London tin market today, prices there losing 17s 6d, spot being quoted at £112 and futures at £111 5s. Responding to this weakness New York was weak and lower, declining some 25 points with spot closing at $24.40@24.70.

Copper also was lower in London, the decline being a matter of 6s 3d, with spot quoted at £50 10d and futures at £50 5d. The New York market offerings were liberal, and in the absence of buyers prices also worked slightly downward. Standard closed at $10.50 nominal; lake $11.35@11.55; electrolytic $11.25@11.35; casting $11.25@11.35.

Like tin and copper, lead was lower in London, losing 1s 3d and closing at £10 13s 9d. Locally lead was quiet and unchanged from 4 1-8.

Spelter here continued weak and more or less nominal at 5.20, while in London it advanced 2s 6d and closed at £19 17s 6d. The Glasgow iron market closed at 54s 4d and Middlesboro at 51s. Iron in the local market was quiet. Warrants nominal; No. 1 foundry, northern, quoted at $23@25; No. 2 foundry, northern, No. 1 foundry, southern, and No. 1 foundry,



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FUNERAL NOTICE.

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MEETING.

A special convocation of Mount Zion chapter, No. 16, R. A. M., will be held in Masonic hall, corner Forsyth and Mitchell streets, at 7 p. m. The most excellent and royal arch degrees will be conferred. Companions qualified fraternally invited.

W. M. SLATON, High Priest.
P. M. HUBBARD, Secretary.

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THE WEATHER.

Washington, November 25.—Forecast for Wednesday and Thursday:

Georgia, North and South Carolina—Fair and cooler Wednesday; Thursday fair, cooler on coast, fresh southwest to south winds, becoming west.

Virginia—Fair in west, rain and cooler in east portion Wednesday; Thursday fair, fresh southwest winds becoming west.

Eastern Florida—Fair Wednesday, cooler in north and central portions. Thursday fair and cooler. Light to fresh southwest winds becoming west.

From Various Stations.

Stations and State of Weather.	Temperature 7 p. m.	Highest Temperature.	Rainfall in past twelve hours.
Abilene, clear	52	62	[illegible]
Augusta, rain	64	70	[illegible]
Buffalo, cloudy	36	40	[illegible]
Charleston, rain	74	74	[illegible]
Charlotte, cloudy	60	64	[illegible]
Chattanooga, clear	62	70	[illegible]
Chicago, cloudy	38	40	[illegible]
Cincinnati, cloudy	46	50	[illegible]
Corpus Christi, clear	64	72	[illegible]
Detroit, clear	36	40	[illegible]
Dodge City, clear	38	48	[illegible]
Galveston, clear	64	64	[illegible]
Huron, clear	26	32	[illegible]
Jacksonville, clear	76	80	[illegible]
Jupiter, clear	74	82	[illegible]
Kansas City, clear	42	48	[illegible]
Key West, clear	78	82	[illegible]
Knoxville, rain	56	70	[illegible]
Memphis, cloudy	50	62	[illegible]
Mobile, cloudy	64	74	[illegible]
Montgomery, clear	62	70	[illegible]
New Orleans, p'tly cl'dy	66	72	[illegible]
New York, rain	46	50	[illegible]
Norfolk, rain	62	70	[illegible]
North Platte, clear	34	40	[illegible]
Omaha, snow	32	42	[illegible]
Palestine, clear	52	54	[illegible]
Raleigh, rain	62	66	[illegible]
Rapid City, clear	32	36	[illegible]
St. Louis, rain	40	44	[illegible]
St. Paul, clear	34	36	[illegible]
Savannah, cloudy	70	74	[illegible]
Tampa, rain	76	78	[illegible]
Vicksburg, partly cloudy	62	68	[illegible]
Wilmington, rain	72	[illegible]	[illegible]

T indicates inappreciable rainfall.

J. B. MARBURY, Local Forecast Official.

SCHEDULES.

Showing the Arrival and Departure of Passenger Trains of the Following Roads, Union Depot, Atlanta, Ga.

CENTRAL OF GEORGIA RAILWAY.

Arrive From—		Depart To—	
Jonesboro..	6 15 am	*Jonesboro	[illegible]
Savannah ..	7 25 am	*Savannah ..	7 30 am
*Jonesboro	8 15 am	*Macon..	1 40 [illegible]
*Macon..	11 20 am	Jonesboro	12 20 pm
Jonesboro..	2 15 pm	*Macon..	4 00 pm
Jonesboro..	5 40 pm	Jonesboro	[illegible]
Savannah..	4 15 pm	Jonesboro	[illegible]
Macon..	8 00 pm	*Savannah	[illegible]
Following Trains Sunday Only:		Following Trains Sunday Only:	
Jonesboro..	8 55 am	Hapeville	[illegible]
Hapeville..	10 45 am	Jonesboro..	12 30 pm

WESTERN AND ATLANTIC RAILROAD.

Arrive From—		Depart To—	
Nashville..	7 30 am	Nashville..	8 2[illegible] am
Marietta..	8 32 am	Marietta..	12 1[illegible] pm
Memphis..	11 45 am	Memphis..	4 30 pm
Marietta..	2 40 pm	Marietta..	5 30 pm
Nashville..	7 30 pm	Nashville..	8 30 pm

ATLANTA AND WEST POINT RAILROAD.

Arrive From—		Depart To—	
Selma..	11 40 am	Montgomery	[illegible]
Selma..	7 55 pm	Montgomery	1 05 pm
Selma..	11 40 am	Selma..	4 20 pm
LaGrange..	8 20 am	LaGrange..	4 20 pm
Selma..	12 50 pm	Selma..	11 20 pm

SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILROAD.

Arrive From—		Depart To—	
*Norfolk..	7 50 am	*Clinton..	7 40 [illegible]
*Washington	3 55 pm	*Washington	12 00 [illegible]
*Clinton..	7 50 pm	*Norfolk..	[illegible]

GEORGIA RAILROAD.

Arrive From—		Depart To—	
*Augusta..	5 00 am	*Augusta..	7 [illegible]
Conyers..	6 45 am	Lithonia..	10 [illegible]
Covington..	7 45 am	*Augusta..	3 10 pm
*Augusta..	1 00 pm	Conyers..	5 00 pm
Lithonia..	2 25 pm	Covington..	6 00 pm
*Augusta..	8 00 pm	*Augusta..	11 45 pm

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Arrive Atlanta from Knoxville.........7 30 pm

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TRAINS LEAVE ATLANTA.

5:30 A. M.—NO. 13, DAILY. Solid vestibule train. Through Pullman sleeping car for Cincinnati.
5:30 A. M.—NO. 16, DAILY. Local to Brunswick. Makes all stops.
5:30 A. M.—NO. 28, DAILY to Columbus.
6:10 A. M.—NO. 35, DAILY. Through sleeping cars to Birmingham and Kansas City; arrive Carrollton 8:35 a. m., Birmingham 11:45 a. m., Memphis 8:05 p. m., Kansas City 9:45 a. m.
7:50 A. M.—NO. 12, DAILY. Local to Charlotte, Danville and Richmond.
7:55 A. M.—NO. 7, DAILY. Local to Chattanooga. Arrive Chattanooga 1 p. m.
12:00 Noon.—NO. 38, DAILY. Washington and Southwestern Limited. Drawing room, sleeping, library, observation cars and club cars through without change. Dining cars serve all meals en route. Arrive Washington 6:42 a. m.; New York 12:43 p. m.
12:05 Noon.—NO. 8, DAILY. Arrive Macon 2:25 p. m.
1:00 P. M.—NO. 40, DAILY. Atlanta and New York Express. Day coaches, sleeper between Atlanta and Washington and Charlotte to Richmond and Norfolk. Arrive Richmond 7 a. m., Norfolk 8:30 a. m., Washington 9:45 a. m.
4:10 P. M.—NO. 30, DAILY. Local to Fort Valley. Makes all stops.
4:10 P. M.—NO. 10, DAILY. Local to Macon. Pullman observation chair cars.
4:15 P. M.—NO. 37, DAILY. Pullman sleeping car and day coaches to Memphis. Arrive Carrollton 6:30 p. m., Birmingham 9:50 p. m., Memphis 7:15 a. m.
4:40 P. M.—NO. 22, DAILY. Local to Columbus. Arrive Columbus 8:40 p. m.
4:30 P. M.—NO. 18, DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY. "Air Line Belle." Makes all stops. Arrives Toccoa 9 p. m.
5:00 P. M.—NO. 15, DAILY. Through sleeping car to Cincinnati. Sleeper Chattanooga to Louisville. Arrive Chattanooga 9:[illegible] p. m., Cincinnati 8:10 a. m., Louisville 10:[illegible]
5:15 P. M.—NO. 25, DAILY. Makes all stops. Arrives Anniston 9:15 p. m.
10:45 P. M.—NO. 14, DAILY. The Florida Limited. Solid vestibuled train through to Jacksonville. Local sleeping car to Brunswick. Arrives Jacksonville 8:30 a. m.
11:35 P. M.—NO. 97, NIGHT TRAIN TO BIRMINGHAM. Pullman sleeper and day coaches. Sleeper open to receive passengers 9:30 p. m. Arrives Tallapoosa 1:50 a. m., Anniston 3:25 a. m., Birmingham 5:35 a. m. Passengers can remain in sleeper until 7 a. m.
12:00 Night.—NO. 36, DAILY. U. S. Fast Mail. Solid vestibuled train. Sleeping cars through to New York and Richmond. Through coaches to Washington. Dining cars serve all meals en route. Arrives Washington [illegible] p. m., New York 6:23 a. m., Boston [illegible]

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LA SOUFRIERE VOMITS RED HOT DESTRUCTION

Fifth Big Outburst of Volcano. People of St. Vinecnt Are Fleeing.

VOLCANO SANTA MARIA STILL IN ERUPTION

It Is Spreading Death in Guatemala. Refugees Making Their Way to the Seaside—Ruin Staring the Ranchers in the Face.

Kingston, St. Vincent, November 26.—A violent eruption of La Soufriere, the fifth big outburst since the catastrophe of May 7, took place today. Georgetown, and the village of Chateau Belair, situated on the west coast of St. Vincent, were again evacuated by their inhabitants.

Telephone communication in those districts is interrupted owing to fierce lightning. Subterranean rumblings can be heard and volcanic clouds are seen from this city. The crater has been smoking constantly since the terrific eruption of October 16.

Santa Maria Still in Action.

San Francisco, November 26.—The volcano Santa Maria was in violent eruption when the Pacific Mail steamer City of Panama, which arrived here today, left there nine days ago. While the steamer lay at Champerico the mountain far away was spouting ashes, smoke and pumice stone, the flakes falling in showers all over the country.

The city of Quezaltenango has been cated at the base of Santa Maria on the eastern slope and no fears have heretofore been entertained for the town's safe-visited by ruin. Quezaltenango is lofty. All the damage reported has been on the western side, reaching from the mountain to the seashore, 30 miles away. That the damage has extended across the mountain is evidence of the terrific activity of the volcano.

Refugees are making their way to the seaside, traveling to Ocas or Champerico and from the ports proceeding south by steamer. From the officers of the City of Panama is was learned that some of the planters are of the opinion that the ashes may be beneficial to the soil and that the damage to the ranches may be only temporary.

Absolute ruin stares many ranchers in the face and the livelihood of thousands of natives for many months to come has been shut off by the destructive work of the volcano and work of rehabilitating the farms will probably be that of other hands than the present owners, for so great has been the damage that the majority of planters may never recover from their losses.

M. E. Otis, of New York, a passenger on the City of Panama, describes the appearance of the land and sea in the neighborhood of the spouting mountain.

"As far as the eye can reach from Champerico," he said, "there is nothing to be seen but ashes and pumice stone. We sailed for miles through a sea of ashes. From the sea to Santa Maria the country looked like as if visited by a snow storm and the mountain itself looked like a boiling caldron. At times the discharge would be carried up a short distance into the air and then it would spread out like an umbrella and fall to the earth, covering trees, bushes and hills with a white shroud.

"At other times the discharge would seem to leap high into the air as if propelled by a shock that could be felt all the way to Champerico. Earthquakes were frequent and the people felt that their country rested on a very uncertain foundation.

"The people in Champerico seem unable to form any estimate of the number of lives lost, but they all agree that the work of devastation as far as the coffee plantations are concerned, is complete."

LOST THEIR LIVES IN A FIRE.

An Old Couple Burn to Death at Newport, R. I.

Newport, R. I., November 26.—Benjamin Watson and his wife, Elizabeth, lost their lives tonight in a fire that destroyed their cottage. Mrs. Watson, who was quite old, in going upstairs with a lighted lamp in her hands, made a misstep and fell. The lamp exploded and the ignited oil burned her to death. Her husband, who was sick in an upper chamber, was suffocated before aid could reach him.

CROWN PRINCE A ROUGH RIDER

His Horse Ran Away, but He Stayed in Saddle.

San Francisco, November 26.—The crown prince of Siam had an exciting ride along the sea drive today. The horse which he was riding bolted and although the prince kept his saddle and was at no time in danger, the members of his party had a few nervous moments. A park policeman stopped the runaway, and the prince changing horses, with one of his staff, returned to his hotel.

Crowninshield and His Squadron.

Washington, November 26.—The European squadron, consisting of the battleship Illinois and the cruisers Chicago, Albany and Nashville, under the command of Rear Admiral Crowninshield, has arrived at Port-Au-Prince to take part in the winter maneuvers.

IRENE HOLDS HER POSITION

Was Wise Enough To Get Promise from Boss Before She Married.

New York, November 26.—(Special.)—This is Cupid's week at the New York postoffice, and any of the many department employes who contemplate matrimony within the department had better act without delay, for Cupid will take wings one minute after 12 o'clock on the morning of December 1. Cupid has been discharged by Postmaster General Payne.

This rule is to be enforced because several young women in the postoffice have recently married workers and two salaries in one family is considered more than Uncle Sam is called upon to pay.

Irene Isabella MacArthur, who is employed in the money order department, married James McIntosh, who worked alongside of her last September. She applied for a three months' leave of absence, which was granted, and when she applied to the postoffice department at Washington to change her name on the payroll from MacArthur to McIntosh she was requested to send in her resignation, pursuant to the new rule promulgated by the postmaster general.

But Mrs. McIntosh is not to lose her position after all. Postmaster General Payne notified Postmaster VanCott, by letter, which was received today, that Mrs. McIntosh is to hold her place. Before she wed, Miss MacArthur took the precaution to announce her engagement to the postmaster general, who said her position would not be jeopardized if she should marry.

KAISER MOURNS CANNON KING

In the Presence of German Emperor Herr Krupp Is Interred.

Essen, Prussia, November 26.—In the presence of Emperor William and a great assemblage the funeral of Herr Krupp took place here today. Emperor William's attendance was designed to show his disbelief of the accusations that caused the gunmaker's death and a statement was issued to the effect that the emperor was indignant at the cruelty and malice of the social democratic charges. He is said to have personally expressed his feelings to the Rev. Mr. Klingemann, who delivered the first of the funeral orations.

As a mark of respect to Herr Krupp's memory the city was hung in black and the street lamps were alight and hooded with crepe.

At the cemetery as the coffin was lowered into the vault beside that of the deceased father, Emperor William saluted and a great chorus of workmen's singing societies chanted a requiem.

Then followed two funeral orations. The Rev. Klingemann, superintendent of the synod, the highest ecclesiastic of the state church in the province, said:

"Friederich Alfred Krupp was a good man. The heritage of a good name fell into good hands. He was of unusual purity of heart and simplicity and amiability of disposition and had fine moral feelings."

The clergyman also detailed Herr Krupp's good works in behalf of his employees, of the city and of the fatherland, and continued:

"Emperor William's decision to attend the funeral pleases everybody, for he honors the memory of the man who passed away in a truly Christian spirit. Herr Krupp's last words, after bidding farewell to his family, were:

"'I depart without ill will or bitterness. I depart in peace with all men, even with those who treated me the worst.'"

Managing Director Roettger, referring to the charges against Herr Krupp, said he thanked the emperor for his presence at the funeral, adding that it would "be a shame if a German could be found who was influenced by the base inventions of foreigners."

After the burial Emperor William talked with the Rev. Mr. Klingemann, expressing the hope that all of Herr Krupp's benevolent enterprises would be continued.

Emperor William's wreath of orchids, violets and palms occupied the place at the head of the coffin.

MONSTER CANNON IS SHIPPED.

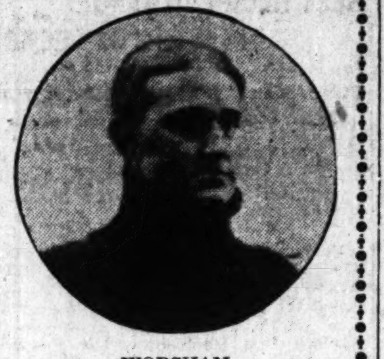
Shoots Projectile Weighing Over a Ton the Distance of 21 Miles.

Albany, N. Y., November 26.—The big 16-inch coast defense gun which was manufactured at the Watervliet arsenal, was shipped today on the Merritt-Chapman Company's largest barge to the Sandy Hook proving grounds and will reach there some time Friday. The largest crane in the world had to be pressed into service to load the gun on the barge on which it is being transported down the Hudson river.

Under the direction of Colonel Farley, commandant at the arsenal, the gun was loaded on a specially constructed car, weighing 34,370 pounds, and slowly moved to the arsenal dock, where, by means of the crane and a mammoth derrick, it swung on to the barge.

The following are the dimensions of this great weapon of coast defense: Length over all, 49 feet 2.9 inches; diameter at breech, 5 feet; bore, 16 inches. Its construction was begun May 14, 1898, and it was finished June 12, 1902. Some faint idea of its power can be obtained by the statement that it shoots a projectile weighing 2,370 pounds a distance of 21 miles. If smokeless powder is used it will require 576 pounds, or about 1,000 pounds of black powder. The crude steel from which the gun was assembled weighed 368,000 pounds. It has cost in material, labor and machinery about $150,000. A large amount of new machinery had to be made for the work; one of the largest cranes in the world, if not the largest one built, to handle it; new lathes were secured and an immense amount of new machinery was purchased. The cost was so great that it is doubtful if any more of similar size will be built. When it was decided to build this gun it was the intention of the government to construct about twenty 16-inch guns, but the cost has been such that the project will probably be abandoned.

AUBURN AND GEORGIA MEET TODAY IN GRIDIRON BATTLE AT PIEDMONT



WORSHAM, Right Guard, Georgia.

BOMER, Right End, Georgia.

WEBB, Left Halfback, Auburn.

Auburn Team Reaches Atlanta--Players Confident of a Victory.

Annual Contest Will Be Opened This Afternoon at 3 O'clock.

The football season of 1902 in the southeast will close at Piedmont park this afternoon in a brilliant contest between Georgia and Auburn, the most inveterate rivals in the southern states.

The whole athletic interest of Georgia and Alabama will be centered in this contest, which is preeminently the foremost athletic event of the year in this section.

As an exhibition of football the game will be great, as both teams are in prime condition and are dead anxious to get a lick at each other. Both teams have been carefully coached and are thoroughly familiar with the game and a hard fought, scientific contest is expected.

The Georgia-Auburn game is always a great event, as the long standing rivalry of the two colleges has given it a prominence not enjoyed by any other game played in the south. The game today is expected to be the greatest ever played between the two teams, for never before have they been so evenly matched.

Thanksgiving day ten years ago Georgia and Auburn met in their first game in Atlanta. With the exception of two years when games were prevented, the game has been repeated every year, and each year with increasing interest.

Record of Past Years.

Eight games have been played in all. Twice Georgia has won, four times victory has gone to the sturdy Alabamans, and twice the two teams have played each other to a standstill.

The scores of the eight games played have been as follows:

1892, Auburn 10, Georgia 0.
1894, Georgia 10, Auburn 8.
1895, Auburn 16, Georgia 6.
1896, Georgia 12, Auburn 6.
1898, Auburn 18, Georgia 17.
1899, Auburn 0, Georgia 0.
1900, Auburn 44, Georgia 0.
1900, Georgia 0, Auburn 0.

Georgia has not won since 1896, and the Crackers have been working with a determination, almost heroic in its nature, to turn the tables on the Auburn Pirates. Auburn on the other hand thinks that her string of victories should not have been broken by the tie last year and intends to once more drag the Red and Black in the dust when the two teams get together at Piedmont.

In former years the result of the game has been predicted with some certainty by the knowing ones. Not until last year was it proved that those who thought they knew all about it really knew nothing. Auburn had been touted as an easy winner and even Georgia's strongest admirers thought that the Crackers would lose by a score of 20 to 0. The surprise that ensued when the game resulted in a tie with neither team scoring has hardly subsided, though a year has passed since the event.

Advantage with Auburn.

This year there has been no such divergency in the work of the two teams as there was last year. By a comparison of scores Auburn has something of an advantage and the Pirates also outweigh the Crackers a small amount, but the experts who have watched the work of the two teams say that these things will mean nothing in the game, and that the result will only be known when the whistle has blown for the last time.

The only games that can be used for comparison are those which Georgia and Auburn have played against the same teams.

Auburn's games against Tech, Alabama, Sewanee and Clemson have resulted as follows:

October 18, Auburn 18, Tech 6.
October 25, Auburn 23, Alabama 0.
November 6, Auburn 0, Sewanee 6.
November 15, Auburn 0, Clemson 16.

Georgia's games against the same teams show the following results:

October 25, Georgia 0, Tech 0.
November 1, Georgia 5, Alabama 0.
November 8, Georgia 0, Clemson 36.
November 18, Georgia 0, Sewanee 11.

In addition to the games shown above Auburn has tied Tulane, 0 to 0, and has been defeated by Louisiana, 5 to 0.

Georgia has defeated Furman, 11 to 0, and Davidson, 27 to 0.

While the comparative scores give Auburn the better of the game there are many things which offset this advantage. While Clemson's score over Georgia was more than twice her score over Auburn it is said that Georgia gained more ground on Clemson than did Auburn. In the Tech game Georgia was never at her best and this contest and the Alabama game both showed bad fumbling on Georgia's part, which cost the Creckers heavily.

In every game played the Georgians have shown their ability to advance the ball while in their possession, and in the early games of the season their chief fault was fumbling by which they lost nearly all that was gained by the magnificent bucking and running of the backfield.

Monahan's Good Work.

Since Monahan has returned to his old place at quarter, this fumbling has disappeared and the team is showing its ability to hold the ball as much as its ability to advance it.

Auburn has not scored since the Alabama game, but the red haired boys have been putting up a great defense. From the work of the two teams it seems that the game today will be a contest between offensive and defensive excellence, with the Auburn boys on the defense.

While both teams are expecting victory neither is at all overconfident, for each recognize the strength of the other. The game will be a fight to the finish, in which both teams will put up the very best game they know how to play.

The students of both colleges will be here to back their teams. Special trains from Athens and Auburn will arrive in the city this morning and from the time of their arrival the city will be alive with college boys and the atmosphere will be reverberant with college yells and songs while the unspeakable megaphone will also be on hand in a manner all its own.

The Auburn boys will bring their college band with them and the Georgians, not to be outdone in this respect, have secured the services of the Fifth Regiment band. Before the game and during the intermission the air will be filled with music. It is not known yet whether or not the two bands will play against each other, but it is safe to say that the rival yelling corps will furnish enough vocal competition to keep the crowd interested while the game is not in progress.

Graduates of the two schools from points all over Georgia and Alabama began to arrive in Atlanta yesterday afternoon for the purpose of witnessing the game. The contest has been well advertised and it is thought that it will be seen by the largest crowd that has ever attended a football game in Atlanta.

The Auburn team arrived in the city at 7:30 o'clock last night and is quartered at the Aragon. The men are in good shape and say that they will put up a great game today. The Georgia team will reach the city this morning on the special and will stop at the Kimball.

The game will be a great society event, as all the younger society people of the city and a great many of the older ones will be out. The management has made special arrangements to accommodate carriages and it is thought that the space reserved for carriages will be among the most brilliant sections of the park. The men composing the two teams are well-known in Atlanta and among those who go out to witness the contest will be a large number of personal friends of the players.

The Teams' Line-Up.

The two teams line-up today as follows:

Georgia.	Position.	Auburn.
Baxter or Bower	right end	Haynie or Ward
Smith	right tackle	Hill
Willingham or Worsham	right guard	Moon
Ketron	center	Merkle
Beaver	left guard	Elmer
McIntyre	left tackle	Lacy
Ridley (capt.)	left end	Paterson
Monahan	quarter	Smith
Harmon	right half	Stokes or Eichelberg
Dickinson	left half	Web or Jones
Turner	full back	Allison (capt.)

Georgia's sponsors will be Miss Frances Johnson and Miss Robert Venable. They will be accompanied by Erle Donaldson and Madison Bell.

Miss Annie Joe Paden and Miss Julliet Kidd, of Gadsden, will be sponsors for Auburn. Their escorts will be M. L. Foster, Jr., and Joseph Knight.

ELMER, Left Guard, Auburn.

HARVEY SAYS AUBURN WILL WIN THE GAME

Assistant Coach Harvey, who has been in charge of the Auburn team during the illness of Head Coach Kent, is confident that Auburn will win, but believes that the game will be close. When seen by a representative of The Constitution last night, he said:

"We have come to Atlanta to win this game and we expect to win it. In my opinion Georgia will never be able to score against us. We certainly will score on Georgia, though I believe the game will be a close one and do not wish to make a prediction as to the score.

"If Georgia plays us like she played Sewanee she will never be able to make more than 25 yards against us on straight football, though, of course, no one can tell what is liable to happen on a fluke or a chance end run.

"We will play straight football and will play it hard. We have a better team than Georgia and if we fail to defeat her I shall never put on a football suit again."

PLUNGED OVER AN EMBANKMENT

Train Goes Down Thirty Feet. Ten Persons Injured and Two May Die.

Greenville, Ills., November 26.—While rounding a curve at high speed today a Jacksonville and St. Louis passenger train plunged over an embankment, a distance of over 30 feet, and ten persons, two of whom may die, were injured in the wreck.

The injured: George Enloe, Greenville; Jesse Williamson, Greenville; Clyde McRaeken, Sorento; F. B. Chapman, deputy sheriff at Sorento; Guy O'Hara, Sorento; B. Sturtsenhoffecker, Tamlaco; Thomas P. Boyd, brakeman, Litchfield; H. M. Jackson, Litchfield; James Carter, conductor, Jacksonville; Callie Jones, Sorento.

An overturned stove ignited the debris and many of the pinioned passengers were severely burned.

Conductor Carter and Clyde McRaeken were so seriously burned that they may die. It is expected the others will recover.

The accident occurred 1 mile east of Ayers. The engine and baggage car remained on the rails. It is believed a truck broke as the curve was being rounded.

Physicians were at once summoned and everything possible is being done for the injured.

Heavy Mortgage Filed.

Lexington, Ky., November 26.—A mortgage was filed in the county clerk's office here today by the Independent Long Distance Telephone and Telegraph Company, of Delaware, to the National Trust Company, of Louisville, Ky., in trust to secure the issue of [illegible] per cent first mortgage gold bonds for thirty years from January 1 [illegible].

CONCHA'S HEAD MAY BE LOPPED

United States Enters Complaint Against Colombian Minister.

It Is Believed That Concha Has Some Ulterior Motive in Delaying the Negotiations for Arranging an Isthmian Canal Treaty.

By Jos: Ohl.

Washington, November 26.—(Special.)—The United States government has entered complaint against Senor Concha, the Colombian minister, under the conviction that he is not carrying out the instructions of his government. This is the latest development in the Panama canal situation, or rather in the controversy over the canal treaty which this government is endeavoring to negotiate. Once before this government felt impelled to call the attention of his government to some of the actions of Minister Concha. The fact that this step has been taken for a second time may mean that the minister official is in danger.

Concha is, of course, contending that in everything he has done he has represented his government and that he is possessed of full plenary powers to accept or reject any and all details of the treaty. He has manifested a disposition to throw all sorts of needles obstacles in the way of an understanding, bringing forward conditions that are so trivial on their face as to carry the impression that his purpose was to prevent any treaty being consummated. These have been accepted as reflecting the position of the Bogota authorities up to this time; but now, when it is manifest that negotiations so far as Concha is concerned are at a standstill, the suspicion has gained ground that Concha may have some ulterior motive of his own. Secretary Hay is convinced that either the Colombian government or Senor Concha is opposed to any treaty.

FIRST SNOW OF THE SEASON

New York, Illinois, Iowa and Wisconsin Report Heavy Snowfall.

New York, November 26.—Snow fell today throughout this state. In some places it turned into sleet and rain.

LaCrosse, Wis., November 26.—The first snow of the season is falling today. The weather has become considerably colder during the past twenty-four hours, and it looks as if winter has started in earnest. The weather bureau reports snow all around in the vicinity of LaCrosse, though not heavy.

Bloomington, Ills., November 26.—Thanksgiving will be white in central Illinois. At Pontiac 2 inches of snow had fallen up to noon and east of Bloomington an equally heavy fall is reported.

Des Moines, Iowa, November 26.—Snow, the first of the season, fell for several hours this forenoon in all parts of Iowa, except the northwest portion of the state.

QUAKER GIRLS IN BIG DEMAND

Five Hundred of Them Are Wanted as Wives in Washington.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., November 26.—(Special.)—King and Pierce counties and Seattle and Tacoma, Wash., evidently appreciate the good qualities of the Pennsylvania girl, for there has come an order for 500 of them as wives. It is from James Evans, a former resident of this place, in a letter to the postmaster at Plymouth. The preference is for girls of Welsh, English or German descent, but they must come from Pennsylvania.

"There are," Evans writes, "five hundred nice looking, healthy young men of good habits who want as many good looking, healthy, poor girls, accustomed to housework and who are neat and tidy, to marry to help make a home for them, ages from 23 to 30."

He continues: "All the boys want girls from the east on account of their special fitness."

Another Cable Company.

Washington, November 26.—Brigadier General Greely, chief signal officer of the army, was informed by cable from the Philippines today of the completion of the cable connecting the island of Romblon with Masbate and Marinduque islands. This establishes duplicate cable communication with all the large islands of the archipelago except Mindanao.

Death of Archbishop MacVelly.

London, November 26.—The most Rev. John MacVilly, Roman Catholic archbishop of Tuam and primate of Connaught since 1881, died today at the age of 85 years.

BISHOP FINED BY RECORDER

Rev. G. W. McLemore Guilty of Disorderly Conduct in Savannah.

Savannah, Ga., November 26.—(Special.) Bishop G. W. McLemore, of the Evangelical Methodist church, colored, was fined $15 in police court this morning for disorderly conduct.

He was said to have attacked his wife and assaulted and pointed a pistol at her sister. The trouble arose from marital troubles between the bishop and his wife, in which the family of the wife took a hand. The evidence showed the bishop went to the house to persuade his wife to go back home with him. She would not consent to his entreaties, and he seized her and made an effort to carry her. This was resented by the relatives of the woman and a general scrap ensued.

The bishop was cut in the head in several places, as was also one of the women engaged in the difficulty.

The bishop denies that he carries a pistol or used one at the time.

SCULPTORS SUBMIT REPORT

On Decorations of Louisiana Purchase Exposition.

St. Louis, November 26.—The advisory committee of sculptors submitted its report today upon the subject of sculptural decorations of the Louisiana Purchase exposition. The report pronounces the scheme presented by Direceor of Sculpture Ruckstupl as admirable, but emphasizes the necessity of giving more importance to the Louisiana Purchase monument, asd the combining with it some important sculptures, expressing more emphatically the incident of the transfer of the Louisiana territory by France to the United States.

Large Coal Deal.

Marietta, Ohio, November 26.—One of the largest coal deals in recent years has been consummated here. George Gilmore, of Pittsburg, with headquarters at Weston, W. Va., sold options on 50,000 acres of valuable coal lands in West Virginia to the Wabash railroad representatives. The price paid is not stated. The property will be developed at once.

Furniture aMnufacturers Combine.

Chattanooga, Tenn., November 26.—(Special.)—Combine of furniture manufacturers here and in nearby towns has been made permanent and officers elected for the ensuing year. Sales are made through a cooperative system. It is probable that two or three new factories making furniture not made here now willl be established soon.

DEAD BODIES USED TO REAP BIG FORTUNES

Plot To Rob Life Insurance Companies of Millions Is Unearthed.

SICK MEN WERE INSURED AND MONEY COLLECTED

In Every Case a Healthy Man Was Sent in To Stand the Medical Examination—One of the Parties to the Swindle Peaches.

New York, November 26.—(Special.)—Darwin D. Kingsley, third vice president of the New York Life Insurance Company, said today:

"Huge insurance frauds have been discovered in Texas, which if not unearthed would have run into the millions. When all the facts are known it will make a story worthy of Conan Doyle.

"Last August I sent a detective named W. T. Garrison, of Richmond Hill, Long Island, to Dallas, Texas. He went under the name of Gray, and I told him to open a business office in Dallas at the expense of the company and to get in with the fellows who were planning to rob us of our money. His success in carrying out our orders was marvelous.

"Gray, as he was known in the south, struck up an acquaintance with one C. T. Richardson and took out an insurance on his own life, Richardson being the company's agent there. He then cultivated his acquaintance, and was soon on intimate terms with a man named William Mason also. Mason said he had a nephew in St. Louis who had but a few years to live.

"Richardson, so Gray says, proposed to insure the nephew's life and divide the proceeds after his death. A healthful man was used to stand the medical test, and $10,000 was collected on the death of the pretended nephew.

"Later Gray, Richardson and Mason formed the plot to work the entire southwest and Mexico by insuring fictitious persons for their own benefit, using healthful men for the examination and afterwards producing proof of death.

"One scheme was to place a dead body in a house and then burn the house so the body could not be identified. The body was then to be proved to be that of the policy holder. The plotters were to share the profits equally.

"Gray declared that the swindlers went to El Paso in October to begin their operations on a more extensive scale. His life was insured for $100,000, with Mason as the beneficiary. Gray was insured under the name of 'Marshall D. Sanguinett' and Mason took the name of David Sanguinett, his nephew.

"Gray declares he had reason to know his own life had been plotted against by the conspirators, either because they were suspicious or because they had grown tired of him.'

Richardson and Mason have been arrested and were examined in habeas corpus proceedings to secure their release. Gray testified against them.

Residence Burns.

Huntsville, Ala., November 26.—(Special.)—The James White residence on McClung street, occupied by Mrs. J. E. Windham, was destroyed by fire this morning, loss $4,000. Vehy few articles were saved from the building. The family barely escaped with their lives. The residence was owned by C. S. McClelland.

SUMMARY OF THE NEWS

FORECAST.

Georgia—Fair and colder Thursday; Friday fair; fresh northwest winds.

Highest temperature	58	Precipitation for past 24 hours	T
Lowest temperature	44	Deficiency since 1st of month	.19
Mean temperature	52	Deficiency since January 1	7.52
Normal temperature	48		

LOCAL.

Georgia and Auburn meet on the gridiron this afternoon at 3 o'clock at Piedmont park for their annual Thanksgiving game.

Union Thanksgiving service will be held tonight at the Jewish temple and will be participated in by numerous Protestant ministers.

Stewart F. Woodson, prominent citizen and business man of Atlanta, dies after an illness of six weeks.

Board of education will request legislature to allow the people of Atlanta to vote on a bond issue for the purpose of erecting four new school buildings.

GEORGIA.

According to rumor, board of education in Macon is doomed, bill for change of system being prepared for Representative Felder.

Hon. J. Rice Smith is notified of his nomination for state senator from the eighteenth district and writes letter of acceptance.

Bishop G. W. McLemore, of the Evangelical Methodist church, is fined for disorderly conduct in Savannah.

SOUTHERN.

Thomas J. Edwards is burned to death and several others are seriously injured by the bursting of a furnace at Birmingham.

Hon. Tennent Lomax left large sum to his alma mater, the University of Alabama, at Tuscaloosa. It is not known just how much, but he had expressed a desire to be able to leave $100,000 to the institution.

Sam Miller, a tailor, shoots his wife to death in the presence of his grown daughter in Memphis. He claims that shot were fired in self-defense, as woman had threatened him with revolver.

DOMESTIC.

Insurance frauds have been discovered in Texas, it is claimed, by leading life companies.

The 16-inch coast defense gun shipped from Watervliett arsenal, New York, is one of the largest ever made. It will send a projectile weighing over a ton the distance of 21 miles.

The Union Pacific railroad shops at Omaha were damaged by fire this morning to the extent of $150,000.

FOREIGN.

Emperor William spoke at the funeral of Herr Krupp yesterday, denouncing those who, he said, had maligned the great gunmaker.

The strike at Havana has ended, and business has been resumed.

The Rev. John MacVilly, archbishop of Tuam and primate of Connaught, is dead.